THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy Friday in interior, rain near the coast; Saturday, part cloudy.

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SITUATION IS UNCHANGED ALONG COAST ALLIES FALLING BACK IN THE INTERIOR

Desperate Fighting Continues in West Flanders and Northern France—British Warships Aid Belgian Army to Resist Attacks of German Forces—Yser River Yet Continues to be Enemies' Dividing Line.

FRENCH CONTRADICT STATEMENT OF GERMANS

That Allies Are Forced to Yield Important Position in the Interior—Both Sides Claim Advantage Along Entire Line—The Russians Claim a Great Victory in Driving Germans Back from Warsaw and Elsewhere.

London, Oct. 22.—Desperate fighting continues in West Flanders and in Northern France, between Germany's armies reinforced by virtually all her forces in the occupied portions of Belgium, and the French and Belgian troops aided by British warships.

Along the coast, the Yser river still divides the contending forces. Neither side, apparently, has advanced, but in the interior, according to a German report, issued tonight, the allies are retiring from several important positions.

This statement of the Germans is contradicted, however, by the French communication issued in Paris late today, which says the allies have not been moved, despite violent attacks.

All along the front from the North Sea to the Swiss border, in fact, each side claims to have repulsed the other, or to have made slight progress at various points.

The contending armies seem so near equal in strength that neither force can drive the other back, pierce the front or get around the wings.

In Poland the preliminary battle, at least, has moved a little more swiftly. The Russians report that they have driven back the first German offensive move against Warsaw, the Polish capital, and the fortress of Ivangorod. All the Russian accounts refer to this as a great victory.

They declare the Germans, besides losing many prisoners and guns, have left large quantities of ammunition and provisions in the trenches they had prepared for their defense.

German headquarters heretofore had not referred to this struggle, but today it says that after several days of battle, no fighting was reported yesterday.

BATTLE IN PRUSSIA RENEWED.

Apparently there has been more fighting on the Prussian frontier, where the situation has been quiet for some time, as the German report says:

"Our troops are pursuing the retreating enemy in the direction of Ossowetz."

Ossowetz is the fortress which was in range of the German guns several weeks ago, when their advance on the Niemen failed.

The battle around Przmysl and south of that city, is going on, but further south the Austrians claim they have cleared the Russians out of Hungary and are advancing toward Bukowina, a crown land in Easter Galacia, with the same object in view.

As though the Belgians already had not suffered sufficiently from the war, villages along the coast north of Ostend are suffering severely from shell fire. Lying, as they do, between the German lines and the British warships off the beach, some are reported wiped out and others badly damaged. It is believed virtually all the inhabitants fled when the Belgian army retired behind the Yser river.

Lord Crowe, secretary of state for India, officially disclosed in a speech delivered Tuesday, but made public only today, that the Indian troops in France have not yet taken part in any battles. The men and horses required considerable time to become acclimated, but the belief here is that they soon will be ready to take their places at the front. The hospitals have been advised to prepare next week for their wounded. Again today it was reported that Italy had landed marines at Avlona, Albania. Such a step, it is believed here, would not be resented by any powernow, when the situation in Albania is serious, because of the warring tribesand the strife between contenders for the crown of the new nation, surrender-ed recently by Prince William of Wied.

GERMANS ARE RETREATING

Russian Official Statement Declares They Are Driven Back From Warsaw

Petrograd, Oct. 22.—The official communication issued by Russian general headquarters tonight says:

"The rapid retreat of the Germans from Warsaw continues. The bombardment by the enemy's heavy artillery has caused no essential damage to the fortifications of Ivangorod or the bridges.

"In Galacia desperate engagements are still being fought. During the advance in the region between Przemysl and the Vistula we captured more than 30 officers, 2,000 soldiers and many rapid fire guns. To the south of Przemysl the Russian operations are developing, also with success."

ALLIES HOLDING THEIR OWN

French Official Statement Declares Germans Are Repulsed on Coast

Paris, Oct. 22.—An official communication issued by the French War Office tonight reports a continuation of the great batles between the sea and land forces, in which the Belgians and allies are holding their ground. Between Aaras and the Oise the Germans have met with equally strong opposition.

The text follows:

"The activity which the enemy displayed yesterday did not slacken today. Between the sea and Labasse the batle has continued with just as great violence without the Germans being able to force back the Belgian army or the French and British troops.

"Similarly, between Aaras and the Oise where the enemy has made determined efforts the Allies have been crowded with success.

"In the Argonne district we have made progress between Hubert and LeFour De Paris.

"To the north of Verdun we have gained ground at Haumont and Brabant on the Meus. In the Woevre region we have repulsed an attack on Camp."

BATTLESHIPS TAKE PART

German Statement Says That British Vessels Are Aiding Allies

Berlin, Germany, Oct. 22.—via Amsterdam and London—The German war office makes public this dispatch received from general army headquarters and dated this (Thursday) forenoon:

"The fighting on the Yser Canal continues. Eleven British war vessels assist the enemys artillery.

East of Dixmude the enemy was repulsed. Our troops have advanved successfully in the direction of Ypres.

"The battles to the northwest of Lille are very severe but the enemy is slowly retreating along the whole line."

"Fierce attacks along the direction of Toulon Heights, south of Thiacourt were repulsed with heavy losses to the French.

"The fact is the British admiral commanding the fleet off Ostend wanted to bombard the town but finally was persuaded by the Belgian authorities to abstain."

ALLOWED TO SAIL.

Steamer Accused by All Belligerents of Carrying Coal for Warships.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 23.—Despite two protests made by E. K. Vietor, German consul at Richmond, that the Dutch steamer Noorddijk was carrying a cargo of coal for British warships and a complaint made by Barton Myers, British consul at this port, that she was carrying coal for German warships, the steamer was allowed to clear and leave port today with a cargo of coal for Bahia, Brazil.

Consul Vietor also made a formal complaint to the customs authorities about the British steamer Anvona, due to arrive at Norfolk during the next few days, to load a cargo of coal for Manila. He states that while the steamer would load and clear for Manial, she would not go to that port, but would deliver her cargo to British warships.

Collector of Customs Hamilton telegraphed him to forward the evidence

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FATE OF SHIP SERIOUS MATTER

Negotiations Proceeding Between America and England

BUT RESULTS WITHHELD

Final Decision in Case Rests With British Prize Court Rather Than With the Foreign Office—Other Taskers Held Up.

London, Oct. 22.—Active negotiations are proceeding between the American embassy and the British foreign office over the seizure of the American tank steamship Brindilla, but little is known publicly of their nature.

It is not known whether the question raised by Great Britain concerns the nationality of the vessel, or the ultimate destination of its cargo. It is said the Brindilla and sister ships were changed from the German to the American flag with the sanction of the British government.

Great Britain naturally desires to afford all facilities for the importation of oil into this country.

Final decision in the case probably will rest with the British prize court, rather than with the foreign office.

WASHINGTON CONFIDENT.

That Issues Arising Will Soon be Adjusted Satisfactorily.

Washington, Oct. 22.—State Department officials tonight believed issues arising from the seizure of three American oil ships soon would be adjusted satisfactorily. The release after short detention of the tanker John D. Rockefeller, with the explanation that the vessel was detained only because of doubt as to the destination of her cargo was construed as an admission by the British government that vessels of American registry have a right to carry oil between neutral ports without molestation.

The State Department's protest against the seizure of the steamer Brindilla and her detention at Halifax with the demand for her release, was not in the nature of an ultimatum, according to State Department officials. The Department itself is ignorant of many facts necessary to deal with the case but protest was lodged to save all legal rights and the result will be awaited before further action is taken.

The British embassy announced tonight that official reports from Halifax said the crew of the Brindilla attempted to scuttle the ship when she was about to be captured by the British cruiser Caronia.

Embassy officials said there was reason to suspect the ship was not headed for the neutral port named in her clearance papers.

BATTLESHIP RETURNS HOME

Vermont Now in Mexican Waters Ordered to Hampton Roads.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Orders for the battleship Vermont to proceed from Vera Cruz to Hampton Roads were issued today by the Naval Department. The vessel is coming north to take part in the fleet maneuvers in Chesapeake Bay which begin about November 1.

BAR ASSOCIATION ENDS ITS ANNUAL CONVENTION

Dinner Given Last Night in Honor of Supreme Court

Occasion Presided Over by Former President Taft and Attended by Chief Justice White and the Associate Justices.

Washington, Oct. 22.—A dinner tonight in honor of the United States Supreme Court and commemorative of its 125th anniversary, presided over by former President Wm. H. Taft, and attended by Chief Justice White and associate justices, closed the annual meeting of the American Bar Association. Peter W. Meidrim, of Savannah, was elected president at the final business session today.

The compromise in the closing hours of the meeting on negro membership, permitted adjournment without a single contest on the floor. Moorfield Storey, of Boston, had introduced a resolution to rescind the 1912 resolution declaring it never had been contemplated that negroes should be come members.

William Bynum, of Greensboro, N. C., was elected a member of the executive committee.

SOUTHERN SENATORS DELAY ADJOURNMENT

Filibuster Led by Hoke Smith, of Georgia, Upsets Plans to End Present Session of Congress at Six o'Clock Yesterday Afternoon—Dixie Representatives in Both Houses Determined to Fight the Matter Out.

MEMBERS OF BOTH WINGS OF CONGRESS LEAVE WASHINGTON TO "TEND" THEIR FENCES

Confident of Adjournment Enough Remained at Capitol to Form Quorum, But Tactics of Southern Senators Prevented Measure Being Adopted—Recess Until After November Elections Sole Hope Left.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Filibuster by Southern Democrats fighting for legislation to relieve the cotton situation upset plans for adjurnment of Congress at 6 o'clock tonight.

Led by Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, Southern members at the last moment prevented action in the Senate on a joint resolution to adjourn sine die, already passed by the House, and it appeared tonight unless an agreement could be reached tomorrow for a recess until after the November elections, Congress would stay in session indefinitely without a quorum.

The collapse of the adjournment came after every hope of its success had been held out and subreme efforts made to conclude the session after adoption in both Houses of the conference report on the war tax bill.

A spectacular feature of the situation was a dash by President Wilson in an automobile from a golf course to the Capitol to reach there in time to sign the war revenue bill before adjournment. The President rushed into the Capitol, followed by secret service men, at 5:45 o'clock. Attired in his golf clothes and without his reading glasses, he hastened to the President's room, where the revenue measure, signed by Speaker Clark and Senator Clarke, president pro tem of the Senate, awaited him. Borrowing glasses from Senator Hughes, of New Jersey, the President signed the bill and several others.

Fight to a Finish.

Senators ran in and out of the President's room, holding their watches, while Senator Martin vainly sought to passed the resolution the House had passed early in the day, providing for adjournment sine die at 6 o'clock. At every turn he was met by filibustering tactics of Senator Hoke Smith, who demanded successive roll calls on motions to adjurn until tomorrow, to recess until tomorrow and to proceed to consideration of executive business. This kept the Senate busy until 6 o'clock, the clock in the House having been turned back with the hope that the Senate fight pass the resolution.

When 6 o'clock arrived Democratic senators who had been fighting for adjournment gave up. The House resolution had died automatically, and Senator Stone moved that the Senate go into executive session.

Majority Leader Underwood then hastened to the House with the announcement that there was no hope for adjournment. The House had been waiting some time without a quorum present and adjournment until tomorrom was ordered. Representative Underwood later said he did not believe it would be possible to get another quorum to pass an adjurnment resolution until after the elections. Before 6 o'clock scores of representatives and senators had left town and others took later trains. Majority Leader Kern and other Democratic senators were equally dubuious of adjournment now. Senator Hoke Smith said he might agree to a plan to take up the cotton relief measures after an adjournment and reconvening of Congress.

An effort was made to bring up the adjournment resolution but this was blocked on a motion to table it made by the senator from Georgia. Immediately a point of no quroum was made.

Meanwhile the House was without a quorum and Representative Underwood conferred with Senate leaders and prevailed on them to recess until 5:30 o'clock before attempting to adjourn, because it was necessary for the House to have a quorum present so Speaker Clark might sign the war revenue bill. The House quorum finally was rounded up but when the Senate reconvened at 5:30 the Southern senators resumed their filibuster so determinedly that hope of adjournment soon was abandoned.

House Ready to Quit.

The House was prepared to end the session. Early in the day the war revenue bill conference report had been agreed to. Then Representative Underwood brought in the resolution for the routine of final adjournment.

Supporters of cotton relief measures announced they would fight it until they could be assured action on the currency amendment and on the cotton warehouse bill. Representative Underwood however, aided by Republican Leader Mann, gathered his forces and before the rapidly melting quorum of the House disappeared the final adjournment resolution and a resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee to notify the President that Congress was ready to adjourn were passed.

The House then resumed consideration of the Glass bill to authorize banks to issue circulation on commercial paper up to 100 percent of the banks capital and surplus." The bill was passed to its third reading on a roll call after at two-hours wait for a quorum. As soon as the quorum arrived the plans for the adjournment were complete.

The House took on a holiday aspect. When 6 o'clock arrived the hands of the clock were turned back twenty minutes, the House momentarily expected a Senate messenger announcing the adjournment resolution.

Then Representative Underwood entered the chamber. After a whispered conference with the speaker he announced there was no hope of final adjurnment and that with no hope of securing a quorum in the House before election day there was nothing to be done but to adjourn until tomorrow. The hundred or more representatives who had been waiting to leave town filed out. Some left Washington despite the situation while others cancelled their reservations.

Will Continue Fight.

Cotton states leaders on both sides of the capitol asserted they would continue their fight tomorrow. In the House they demanded the passage of amendments to the currency law broadening the credit power of banks in the Federal Reserve system. These amendments, in accordance with increasing the currency a bank may issue on commercial paper to 100 percent of its capital and surplus, would add to the power of the reserve system power by allowing members banks to deposit in Reserve banks those reserves which now must be held in their own vaults. With those is coupled an amendment authorizing the Treasury to institute a system of bank note clearances through the Federal Reserve banks and to appoint Reserve banks as redemption agents for circulation.

These bills are under consideration in the House under a special rule and debate on them has been exhausted. They will be followed if a quorum can be obtained for a vote on them, by the Lever cotton warehouse bill.

In addition to these Senator Smith tonight asserted he desired an amendment to the banking laws which would repeal the present ten percent tax on state banks circulating notes, that southern states might issue state circulation based on cotton warehouse certificates.

President Wilson remained at the capital for a few minutes after signing the war tax revenue tax bill but not comment on the failure of Congress to adjourn. Earlier in the day he had expressed the hope that some of the cotton relief bills might be passed. Representatives Underwood, Mann and Fitzgerld had been appointed by the House to call upon the President and notify him the House was ready to adjourn. They called but did not deliver their message.

RALEIGH OVERRUN WITH STATE FAIR VISITORS

Two Railroads Out of City Blocked by Wreck.

Westbound and Southbound Afternoon Trains Unable to Leave—Cash Gate Receipts $1,000 Larger Than in 1915.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 22.—The cash gate receipts today at the State fair were one thousand dollars more than for Thursday of fair week last year and the crowds today were proportionately larger.

Raleigh is overrun with people tonight unable to get out of the city on account of both the Seaboard Air Line and the Southern main lines between Raleigh and Cary being blocked by a freight wreck that occurred in time to catch the 4:05 west bound Southern and 4:05 Seaboard southbound passenger trains here and are not expected to get through much before midnight.

The Southern and Seaboard tracks are parallel and freight cars were piled across both in such manner as to make the clearing of the track most difficult.

MRS. CARMAN TAKES STAND IN OWN BEHALF

Enters Sweeping Denial to Charges That She Murdered Mrs. Louise Bailey in Her Husband's Office at Freeport, New York, Last June—Declares Story Told by Maid is Series of Falsehoods in Every Particular.

WIFE TELLS OF WHY SHE HAD 'PHONE DEVICE INSTALLED IN HUSBAND'S OFFICE AND HOME

Wanted to Know if He Was as Bad as He Had Been Painted to Her—Mrs. Carman on Stand for Over an Hour, Giving Her Direct Testimony—Will be Cross-Examined Today—Other Witnesses to be Introduced.

Mineola, N. Y., Oct. 22.—Mrs. Florence C. Carman took the witness stand in her own defense today and entered a sweeping denial of the charge that she murdered Mrs. Louise Bailey.

Item by item Mrs. Carmen went over the story of Celia Coleman, the negro maid in her employ at the time of the tragedy in the Carman home in Freeport last June, and declared false every accusation the domestic made in her testimony yesterday. A fabrication from beginning to end was, in the essence, her criticism of the maid's narrative of events of the night Mrs. Bailey was shot and killed in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman, the defendant's husband, and of subsequent happenings in the Carman household.

The story told by the negro girl was offered by the prosecution as tending directly to connect Mrs. Carman with the shooting. The efforts of Mrs. Carman's counsel in questioning his client were designed chiefly to discredit the servant's testimony. Mrs. Carman responded, with alacrity and seemingly with entire frankness. She looked into faces of the jurors with steady eyes when she described to them some particular point and she seemed resentful when certain points in the story of the negree were under discussion.

Mrs. Carman was on the witness stand nearly an hour under direct examination. She will undergo cross examination tomorrow.

Not "Insanely Jealous."

The wife of the Freeport physician admitted she had installed a telephonic instrument in her husband's office but denied she was "insanely jealous." She said she had heard people ask her husband "how all his girls were." Sometimes he had stayed out all night. If her husband was as bad as he had been painted to her, she wanted to know it. If she found out what she had heard was true, she said, she had determined she would continue to live in the house with him but would never speak to him again. Then, on the morning after the murder, she declared, she tore out the device that the district attorney had termed a "mechanical eavesdropper" because she thought her husband already had enough to bother him.

Mrs. Carman even corroborated some of the statements of the witness by admitting that on the evening of the murder she had called to her daughter Elizabeth to stop playing the piano. But she did this, she swore, because she had a headache and not, as the prosecution had intimated, because she wanted to listen over the mechanical eavesdropper to what her husband was saying to a woman in his office.

She admitted, too, that on one occasion she looked in the same window as that through which the assassin of rMs. Bailey fired because she knew the trained nurse of whom the doctor appeared to be fond was in his office.

When Mrs. Carman stepped down from the stand she apparently was as fresh as when she went on.

Mrs. Carman's Story.

Mrs. Carman on the stand told the following story:

"I am the defendant. I was married to Dr. Carman in 1892.

"Early in the morning of June 30, 1914, I went to New York. I spent the day shopping. I returned to Freeport with a headache on a train at 6 o'clock.

"As soon as I got home I took off my coat and went to the supper table, I answered the front door once. I admitted a man I don't know. I still had the headache at this time. After supper I went right up to bed. I undressed and put my clothing away. Then I put on my night clothes and went to bed. I was ill. I heard Elizabeth playing the piano. I told her to stop.

"Soon after I heard a shot and some commotion down stairs. I put on my kinomo. I also put on my slippers. I went down stairs into the pantheoffice. The door was closed. try room. I could not see in I heard the doctor talk then. I went back up stairs thinking that everything was alright. I met Elizabeth up stairs. Soon after Mrs. Powell came up and told me some woman had been shot in the office. Mrs. Conklin also eame up.

"The district attorney called about 9:30 that night. I went to bed at 10 o'clock. I had not been off the premises the whole night. The reason I did not go into the office was because Dr. Carman told me never to go into the office after we had the trouble with the nurse. We also had another difficulty about the office on other occasions.

Slapped Woman's Face.

"The last time I saw Mrs. Varance, the nurse, was in the office when I slapped her face. Dr. Carman and I had several spats over Mrs. Varance. She came to the office afterwards and I did not think it was right. On the night I slapped her face I saw her first in the waiting room. Later I looked in but she was not there. So I went out in the yard and looked into the doctor's office through the window.

"I saw them talking. Then Dr. Carman peeled $15 from a roll he took from his coat and gave it to the nurse. They talked some more and Mrs. Varance kissed the doctor. Then I rapped on the window and went in. I said to the nurse:

"'This is a nice way for a married woman and a married man to act.' Then I said to the doctor: 'So this is where your money goes.' Then I demanded the money and got it.

"I told Mrs. Varance never to come to the house again. After it was all over Dr. Carman told me if I ever came into the office again he would leave me and break it all off.

"As to the telephone instrument, I had that installed because of stories I had heard. People would ask him how his girls were, and he would stay out all night. I was not crazy jealous but I wanted to find out if the stories were true. If they were I was determined to live under the same roof with Dr. Carman for my daughter's sake, but I resolved that I would never even speak to him again."

Mrs. Carman described how she bought the instrument in New York. The salesman, she said, told her many places where the instruments had been installed.

"He also assured me that one could be installed in my house without anybody knowing it," said Mrs. Carman. "I told the man I could not have it known that there was any trouble in my house on account of my little girl. I took Dr. Carman away while the thing was being put in.

Tells of 'Phone Device.

"I saw the man—Boissannault—again about three weeks later. I could not hear everything that went on in Dr. Carman's office. I told him that. He told me the instrument might have been placed wrong, but he gave me three dry batteries to make it stronger.

"I took the instrument out the morning after the murder. I took part of it out before breakfast and parts later. I thought Dr. Carman had enough trouble on his hands.

"I did not know Mrs. Bailey. I had never seen her alive. I saw her dead body at the morgue three days after the murder. You (Mr. Levy) made me go there and make sure whether I knew the woman.

"I have never fired a gun or pistol in my life. I know nothing about fire arms. When I first saw you after the murder I knew I was under suspicion. I asked you to assist me if I needed an attorney.

Denies Testimony of Negress.

"I did not go through the kitchen as Celia Coleman said. I did not say 'I shot him.' I did not come down in a kimono and a night cap. I did not go in Dr. Carman's office at any time on June 30.

"'I did not show Celia a revolver. The only revolver I ever had handled was a little one the doctor kept in his bureau drawer. I gave it to the district attorney. Celia Coleman did not speak the truth when she said she tried to keep me from going into the office. I did not tell Celia I would take care of her little boy if anything should happen to her. Neither did I ever give Celia $5 and tell her that was for keeping her mouth shut. I never winked at Celia when you were asking me questions.

"I did not tell Celia the day after the murder to get Mr. Conklin from the barn as I wanted him to get the revolver out of the house. I did not go to Celia's room the morning after the murder. I did not say 'I hope God will forgive me. Oh!' why did I kill that woman.'"

Mrs. Carman took off her gloves and exhibited her bare arms to the jury.

"I never had any scars on them," she said. "They were not cut on the night of June 30."

Farrell Recalled to Stand.

When court opened this morning Frank Farrell, who testified yesterday he had seen a woman running from the widow through which the shot was fired, was recalled to the stand. After cross examination Farrell was excused and the state announced that it rested its case. George M. Levy, of Mrs. Carman's counsel, then began his opening address. "We will prove," said Mr. Levy, "that this crime was not committed by Mrs. Carman, but by a man whose motive we do not know."

Mr. Levy told of Mrs. Carman's actions on the day and night of the murder. He said she went to New York during the day, contracted a headache and after dinner went to bed.

"Mrs. Carman will tell you that she then heard a shot and some commotion downstairs," he said.

This was the first definite declaration from the defense that she was to testify.

"She immediately put on a kimona and leaned over the banister. She did not go into the office because Dr.

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DURHAM MAN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE FAIR

Attendance This Year Much Larger Than Last.

Cash Gate Receipts Larger by $2,500, to Say Nothing of Railroad Coupons—Midway at Last Clean, Says Pogue.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 22.—The North Carolina Agricultural Society, which has for more than half a century been holding the annual State fairs, tonight elected E. J. Parrish, of Durham, president to succeed J .A. Mills, of Raleigh, who has served two terms and declined to serve another year. Mr. Parrish was for many years a tobacco warehouseman in Durham and represented the American Tobacco Company in the Orient for a number of years, being now retired from active business.

The society re-elected Col. Joseph E. Pogue as secretary and C. B. Denson as treasurer and re-elected all vice presidents and district presidents.

Secretary Pogue reported that the present fair has excelled the last year's fair in cash gate receipts by $2,500 and railroad ticket receipts are sure to be very much in excess of last year in consequence of considerably increased attendance. He said the fair management has at last gotten the midway on a basis thoroughly free from gambling or immoral attractions and he considers this an especially gratifying achievement.

It was reported to the society that a proposition has been made by real estate interests to purchase a considerable part of the Hillsboro road frontage of the fair grounds at a high price, but the society expressed itself as opposed to selling off any part of the frontage and named a committee composed of Col. Benehan Cameron, Jno. C. Drewry, C. J. Hunter, Judge Walter Clark and C. B. Barbee to investigate the matter of purchasing additional grounds that the fair must soon necessarily secure.

THOUSANDS EVADE THE FEDERAL INCOME TAX

Figures Compiled Show Over Hundred Thousand

Revenue Bureau Has Been on Watch to Detect Dodgers and Results Will Soon be Made Public—Falls Short of Expectations.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Unless experts who aided Congress in framing the income tax law were greatly in error, 140,000 persons with taxable incomes have evaded the internal revenue collector. Figures made public tonight at the Treasury Department show 357,598 returns, while Congress designed the law on estimates that there were 425,000 taxable incomes. These estimates did not include incomes between $3,000 and $4,000 on which 79,426 returns actually were made, so that the total discrepancy is 146,828.

The internal revenue bureau's campaign to detect dodgers has been carried on vigorously and it was understood tonight that results soon might be forthcoming.

As a revenue producer the law has fallen considerably below expectations, turning in about $28,000,000 for the payable ten months of last year instead of the $45,000,000 expected.

Not a single class of incomes lived up to expectations. In the $5,000 to $10,000 class the discrepancy was greatest, the estimates being $178,000 and the returns $101,178.

Forty-four returns were made on incomes over $1,000,000; 91 on incomes between $500,000 and $1,000,000; 222 on incomes between $250,000 and $500,000, and 1,241 on incomes between $100,000 and $250,000.

COAST DEFENSES NEED GUNS AND GARRISONS

Weaver Appeals for Men in Report to Department

Declares Fort Henry, to be Erected at Mouth of Chesspeake Bay, Should be Manned With Sixteen Inch Guns at Least.

Washington, Oct. 22.—An urgent plea for more men to garrison the country's coast defenses was made by Brig. Gen. E. M. Weaver, chief of coast artillery, in his annual report today to Secretary Garrison. No new fortifications were asked for in addition to the proposed fort at Cape Henry, to command the entrance to Chesapeake Bay.

Calling attention to the larger guns of foreign battleships of latest design General Weaver asked that 16-inch guns be provided for Cape Henry.

"Otherwise," he said, "these fortifications may be subjected not only to a very much greater volume of fire than can be delivered by them, but also have the disadvantage of replying to that fire with guns of inferior power, both by reason of the bore of the gun and by reason of its shorter length."

Of the need for additional artillerymen, the General said:

"The shortage of coast artillery troops for the United States proper is at the present time so far below the requirements as to make it a matter deserving the serious consideration of Congress."

He reported 564 officers and 10,988 men below the needed number, explaining that the taking of 25 companies, to which must be added 24 in the near future, for service in the Philippines, Hawaii and the Canal Zone had crippled the service at home.

PHILADELPHIA PAPER CAUSES UNEASINESS

Publishes a List of Senators and Congressmen.

Members of Whose Families Are on Government Pay Roll—Congressman Pou Among Them—He Makes Explanation.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The publication in the Philadelphia Inquirer today of a story giving the names of senators and members of Congress who carried members of their families on the government pay-roll caused not a few members of Congress some uneasiness. The most interesting part of the story to North Carolinians was that part which referred to Representative E. W. Pou, of North Carolina.

The Fourth district congressman was charged with keeping his son, George R. Pou, on the pay roll as an assistant clerk to the Committee on Claims, of which Congressman Pou is chairman, and at the same time allowing his son to attend the University of North Carolina. Young Pou, though attending the State University, is receiving a government salary of $1,600 a year.

When The Star correspondent asked Mr. Pou if the story was true, he admitted that it was. He also admitted that Robert Wellons, a son of James Wellons, of Smithfield, was carried on the government pay-roll as janitor to his committee. He also stated that young Wellons is a student at Washington and Lee University. The janitorship to the Claims committee pays $720 a year.

The 1913 official register of the United States, which is the latest issue of that volume, and gives the official titles and the amount of salary of every employe in the government service, shows that "Jesse F. Milliken" was the janitor to the Claims committee when that volume was issued. Late tonight Mr. Pou gave out the following statement to the press:

Mr. Pou's Explanation.

"The Philadelphia Inquirer criticises me for appointing my son, George R. Pou, assistant clerk to the Committee on Claims, and for permitting him to attend the University of North Carolina since September 1st.

"It is true that I did appoint my son George to that position and shall keep him as long as I am permitted to fill the place provided he does as good work in the future as he did when he was here. During 14 years I have helped more than a score of young men. When the 63rd Congress was organized my son had equipped himself to be a stenographer and typewriter. I gave him a $1,200 job. He made good and I have no regrets except he is not with me right now.

Expected Congress to Adjourn.

"Everybody expected Congress would adjourn about September 10. My son asked if I would not arrange for him to pursue his study of law at the University of our own State instead of continuing at Georgetown University in this city. I let him go with the understanding that he would arrange to have his work done until Congress should adjourn. This was done and there is a young man in this city now who does his work and who is also attending school. The clerk in the office tells me George made a good clerk to the committee. Several members of Congress have complimented his work. Of course he will have to be at his post when Congress meets in January or put some one else in his place."

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SITUTATION UNCHANGE ALONG THE COAST

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on which he based his complaint, and the matter would be carefully looked into.

TORPEDO BOAT DISABLED

German Statement Says That Fighting Continues Along Coast.

Berlin, Oct. 22. via London.—An official announcement issued tonight from chief headquarters says:

"On the Yser Canal heavy fighting is still in progress.

"The enemy was reinforced by artillery fire from the sea at a point northwest of Nieuport but in the engagement a British torpedo boat was put out of action by our artillery.

"Fighting continues to the west of Lille and here also our troops have assumed the offensive and have repulsed the enemy at several points. The English have lost several machine guns.

"No decision has yet been reached in the eastern theatre of the war."

GERMANS ATTACK OSTEND

Eleven British Warships Take Part in Battle Raging Along the Cost.

London, Oct. 22.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Flushing says:

"Wednesday night and today the Germans made a violent attack on the environs of Ostend which was repulsed by an energetic counter-attack by the Belgians.

Eleven British warships fired on the Germans again this morning. General Von Trip and his staff, who were together in Leftinghe near Middelkerke, were killed by the fire of British naval guns."

MEETING THIS WEEK.

To Organize Church and Social Service League.

A local Church and Social Service League, planned to bring together the various uplift agencies of the city in order to make possible greater efficiency, will be organized at a meeting to be held at the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 8 o'clock.

The committee from the First Baptist church, omitted from the list published in yesterday's Star, is as follows: Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, Messrs. P. T. Hopkins, W. C. Peterson, D. H. Penton, John R. Hanby, W. R. Taylor, C. B. Newcombe, L. W. Moore, J. T. Allen, Dr. W. T. Smith and Dr. Ramsey Westhersbee.

WILL GUARD AGAINST "FLANKING" MOVEMENT

Workers for Amendments to be at Polls Election Day.

Campaign Committee Finds Little Active Opposition to Amendments, But Not Taking Chances—Railroad Men Optimistic.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 22.—Secretary W. S. Wilson, of the Constitutional Amendment campaign committee, is taking steps to insure as far as possible the presence of active workers for the amendments at the polls on election day at every voting precinct, realizing that more can be accomplished in personal contact at the polls on election day by good workers than by the finest speakers in preliminary meetings. Mr. Wilson says that the information coming in from friends of the amendments the State over indicate very little and quite inactive opposition to the amendments or any one of them.

However, the campaign management is guarding against any eleventh hour "flanking movement" by the opposition through suddenly flooding the precincts with cunningly conceived literature against any one of the amendments and putting agencies in motion at the polls that will turn the tide of ballots against them.

President J. H. Young, of the Norfolk Southern Railroad Co., was a caller at the offices of the Corporation Commission today and spent some time discussing the affairs of the railroad generally with the commission. He was accompanied by General Industrial Agent E. B. Rice, of the Norfolk Southern. Both speak reassuringly of the business outlook and believe that unprecedented business prosperity awaits this country and especially the South when the present temporary difficulties are passed.

Governor Craig expects to fill his engagement for a campaign speech at Asheville Friday when he and Congressman Gudger are billed to present the claims of Democracy to the confidence of the people. The governor was obliged to cancel his engagement to speak today in Newton.

Remarkable Work in Philadelphus

Following the all day conference with field workers just held, Dr. W. P. Jacocks, director of the Rockfeller Sanitation commission work in this state for eradication of Hookworm, finds that Dr. Absher, who has just completed community work at Philadelphus did a remarkable achievement in that with 186 families in the community there were 205 approved home sanitary appliances installed and with 941 persons in the community there were 950 personal examinations made and 300 hookworm infections discovered and treated. Also there were 336 vaccinations against Typhoid. Dr. Absher is now to take up work in three communities simultaeously in Scotland county. Dr. Collinson, who has just finished a similar work in Salemburg, is to begin at once in three communities in Lenoir county. It is notable that there has been surveys and treatment work in every county in the state and that the work now is regularly settled down to specific community work to eradicate infection and put sanitary conditions on approved basis in the community.

Berlin, Oct. 22. via London and the Hague.—A German casualty list issued today contins the names of about 11,500 killed, wounded and missing.

MRS. CARMAN TAKES STAND IN OWN BEHALF

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Carman had forbidden her to do so.

"She will admit all about the telephonic instrument and will tell you that she had it installed to find out if the things she had heard about the doctor's relations with women were true. We will show you that there can be no suspicion attached to Mrs. Carman's talks with me because I was a friend of the family and had been for years.

To Prove Farrell a Liar.

"As to the witness, Farrell, we will prove him a liar."

A vigorous assault upon testimony given yesterday by Celia Coleman, the Carman maid, was begun by the defense with its first witness, Benedict Chessman, a negro stenographer, of New York.

Chessman testified that he and two negro lawyers called on Celia in New York on July 14 last, and that the lawyers questioned Celia about her knowledge of the crime while he took down questions and answers in short hand. He identified a typewritten statement as that which he had made. In it Celia said she wanted to tell the whole truth. She was not under oath, however, and she made no mention of Mrs. Carman's having shown her a revolver. Thomas Crogan, driver of a moving van, tesified he saw Farrell three times in New York on the day and evening of the murder. William Austin, a banker, tetified he saw Farrell with Crogan at 7:15 o'clock on the night of the murder.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We Eat Too Much Meat, Which Clogs Kidneys, Then Back Hurts, and Bladder Bothers You.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

Hard Times or War Times

Why not get busy and win some Silverware, one of four Gold Watches, or the beautiful Combination Player Piano? Come to us and let us show you. It is really worth your while.

A FEW who get out of a job can make the proposition pay them while they are loafing.

The GRAND PRIZE is a HANDSOME Player Piano.

The intermediate prizes are Household Silver and FOUR GOLD Watches.

There is nothing in the line of Talcum Powders, so DAINTY and REFINED as Crushed Carnation and Crushed Violet. Sold exclusively by us: 35c the package.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA:
COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER:

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, made and executed by George H. Bellamy and wife Kate T. Bellamy, to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., which mortgage is duly recorded in book 71, page 438, Register of Deeds office, New Hanover County, default having been made in the payment of the obligation thereby secured, the undersigned will sell on the 21st day of November, 1914, at Court House door at Public Auction, at noon, for cash, to the highest bidder, a one-eighth undivided interest in and to the following lots, parcel or tract of land, situate in the County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, described as follows, to-wit:

FIRST: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING at the Northeastern intersection of Market and Fifth streets; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Market Street, one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet; thence Northwardly parallel with Fifth Street one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Market Street one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the Eastern line of Fifth Street; thence Southwardly with said line of Fifth Street one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 4 and 5, Block 169, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

SECOND: That certain lot in the City of Wilmington, with a four story brick building thereon, BEGINNING at a point in the Northern line of Market Street ninety-seven (97) feet and six (6) inches East of the Eastern line of Front street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Market Street; twenty-two (22) feet and six (6) inches; thence Northwardly parallel with Front Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to Toomer's Alley; thence Westwardly with the Southern line of Toomer's Alley twenty-two (22) feet and six (6) inches; thence Southwardly parallel with Front Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to the beginning, being parts of Lots 4 and 5, Block 165, according to the official plan of said City of Wilmington.

THIRD: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING at the Northwest intersection of Second and Dock Streets; running thence Northwardly with the Western line of Second street sixty-six (66) feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Dock Street one hundred and seventeen (117) feet and eleven (11) inches; thence Southwardly parallel with Second street sixty-six (66) feet to the Northern line of Dock street; thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Dock Street one hundred and seventeen (117) feet and eleven (11) inches to the beginning, being part of Lot 8, Block 152, according to the official plan of the said City of Wilmington.

FOURTH: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING in the Western line of Third Street sixty-six (66) feet North of the Northern line of Wooster Street; runs thence Westwardly parallel with Wooster Street three hundred and thirty (330) feet to the Eastern line of Second Street; thence Northwardly with said line to Second Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet; thence Eastwardly parallel with Wooster Street three hundred and thirty (330) feet to the Western line of Third Street; thence Southwardly with said line of Third Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to the beginning, being all of lots 4 and 5, Block 60 according to the official plan of the said City of Wilmington.

FIFTH: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING in the Western line of Second Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet south of the Southern line of Queen Street; runs thence Southwardly with said line of Second Street thirty-six (36) feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Queen Street eighty (80) feet; thence Northwardly parallel with Second Street thirty-six (36) feet; thence Eastwardly parallel with Queen Street (80) feet to the beginning, being part of lot 3, Block 59 according to the official plan of said City of Wilmington.

Also all the undivided interest of the said George H. Bellamy of, in and to the Stock or ownership of the late E. M. Bellamy of, in and to the Clarendon Coal Field Company's stock and land situate in the County of Chatham, State of North Carolina, the said stock never having been divided.

Dated and posted this 22nd day of October, 1914.

ATLANTIC TRUST & BANKING CO.
Mortgagee.

Armour's Housewives Bulletin

FIFTY YEARS of striving to make each *Armour* product better each year—a world-wide business has been built upon this foundation. A momentary "let-down" on even one product would jeopardize the prestige of this world-wide business. Armour and Company simply *cannot afford* to make mistakes. This is *your* best guarantee. This is why "you can buy *Armour's* with your eyes shut."

Try Today

Buying a whole *Armour's* "Star" Ham and find out for yourself the great economy of buying in this way. You have the finest quality of meat—perfectly flavored and smoked. The Armour name guarantees you that.

Try Using the Ham in This Way:

Cut the ham in two. Reserve one-half for slicing for breakfast. Bake the other half—serve it hot for one meal—cold for another. Save all the scraps as these are just as full of flavor as the rest—for sandwiches, omelets, etc.

Armour's **Star**—look for this label on **all the ham** and bacon you buy. It is an absolute guarantee of quality.

Save Your Time

You will have time to attend club meetings and keep in touch with the big things women are doing if you get your housekeeping down to simple, sane lines. Instead of spending hours over a cook stove, reach up on the pantry shelf and get a can of *Armour's* Veribest Lunch Tongues, to serve with hot mashed potatoes; Veribest Ox Tongue, to serve with string beans, cauliflower, etc. *Armour's* Pork and Beans, to serve with brown bread, salad or cold slaw.

These Veribest foods are the result of fifty years experience in the canning business, and **they are the best that can be produced.**

The food is of the highest quality, and the cooking, seasoning, etc., is done by experts. Always insist on the Veribest label. This insures quality and purity.

Oleomargarine

Almost everyone uses oleomargarine nowadays, when assured of getting a thoroughly satisfactory article. And the housewives who know

Armour's **Glendale Oleomargarine**

say that it is the best. Made (under U.S. Government supervision) wholly from the essential food fats of everyday diet, including a generous percentage of **pasteurized** creamery butter.

Quick Lunches

It is very easy to make a quick lunch if you have a tin of *Armour's* Bouillon Cubes at hand. Drop one in a cup of hot water—that's all. You have at once a soup that is delicious, flavored with beef, vegetables and seasoning.

If you have a hard day of cleaning, stop long enough to drink this. Tuck a few cubes in the children's lunch box. Give the tired husband a cup of bouillon when he comes home and just watch the result. You will be surprised. They come in boxes of 12, 50 and 100.

Like Cheese?

When you buy cheese get *Armour's* **Cloverbloom**, the rich, heavy cheese which is backed by the *Armour* label. It goes farther, and tastes better, and is more satisfactory in every way than any other cheese in the market.

Pimento and Cheese Roast

2 cupfuls of cooked Lima beans
½ pound of cheese (Armour's Cloverbloom)
3 canned pimentos chopped. Bread crumbs.

Put the first three ingredients through a meat chopper. Mix thoroughly and add bread crumbs until it is stiff enough to form into a roll. Brown in the oven, basting occasionally with butter and water.

Not Just "Eggs"

Say *Armour's* **Select Eggs** in cartons, and you will get the best in the market. Quality, size and weight are the guaranty of the *Armour* name on the label.

Buttered Eggs

Armour's Select Eggs, 3 Toast
Milk, 3 teaspoons Butter, 1 tablespoonful

Make three or four rounds of toast, butter and keep them hot. Beat the eggs and milk lightly. Put the butter in a small saucepan, add the eggs, pepper and salt, and stir with a small wooden spoon till the eggs begin to thicken. Pour over the toast and serve at once. A spoonful of tomato essence may be added to the eggs for a change, or finely chopped parsley may be sprinkled over.

Save on Pastry Baking

by using "Simon Pure" Leaf Lard. Less is required than when ordinary lard or butter is used, as it is *all fat*, and there is no moisture to dry out of your cakes the day after baking. "Simon Pure" Leaf Lard is made *wholly* from the delicate leaf fat—the choicest of all fats for lard making, and the rendering is done in an open kettle, as grandmother did it.

For deep kettle frying it is unequalled—and the delicious, crispy sweetness of the results will convince you.

It comes in **sealed pails** of different sizes—*try one today.*

For Breakfast

The first meal of the day should be hearty and tasty and satisfying. You find all three in

Devonshire Farm Style Sausage that delicious **pork sausage** made by Armour and Company. Their name guarantees purity and quality in all food products, and a single trial of Devonshire Farm Style Sausage will convince you of its superiority to all others. In 1-lb. cartons—link and sausage meat.

ARMOUR AND COMPANY

WILMINGTON, N. C
R. F. CAMPBELL, Manager. 'Phone 85.

Look for *Armour's* Housewives Bulletin Next Week!

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.
Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington, N. C.

Springer Coal Company against The Steamer Adriot, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and person, lawfully intervening for their interest therein, in a cause of contract, civil and maritime.

In obedience to Warrant of Seizure to me directed in the above entitled cause, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to-wit:

The Steamer Adriot, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and for the cause set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed, according to the prayer of the said libel, that they be and appear before the said court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina at the City of Wilmington on the 28th day of October, 1914, at 11 o'clock, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, there interpose a claim on the same and to make their allegation in their behalf.

W. T. DORTCH,
U. S. Marshal.

By J. N. Fennell, D. M.
October 20, 1914.
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When Women Suffer

No remedy gives greater relief than Anti-Kamnia (A-K) Tablets in all conditions generally known as "Women's Aches and Ills." One trial will satisfy any woman that she has at last found the remedy she has so long been looking for.

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Are you distressed after eating? Do you have nausea when riding in the cars or on the train or boat? Take A-K Tablets and get instant relief.

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Boys' Double Breasted Suits, Knickerbocker Pants, ages from 7 to 18,

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Their Regular Price. Don't Wait Until the Sizes are All Picked Over; but Come Early and Avoid the Rush.

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BLAME WAR CONDITIONS ON DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Republican Fallacy Being Answered in North Carolina

Until the War Began Cotton Was 14 Cents and Wilson Was President. State Democratic Campaign Active.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 22.—Licks fast and furious are being applied by State Democratic headquarters under the direction of State Chairman Thomas D. Warren, leading up to the general election November 3, the campaigning by prominent speakers in every section of the State being supplemented by many thousands of circulars and special letters being sent out to individuals and shipped in quantities to local campaign workers for circulation among the voters, with the special note running through all of getting the voters to go to the polls on election day and incidentally giving emphatic denial to whatever charges against Democracy that have been put in circulation by the opposition.

One especially notable charge being answered is that the Democratic party is responsible for the present cotton market situation. Chairman Warren is getting out a statement from O. Max Gardner, of Shelby, entitled "War and Not the Democratic Party Causing Low Priced Cotton," in which it is pointed out that "up until the war started cotton was 14 cents under the Wilson administration and we ought to be thankful for Wilson and peace."

Also, there is a circular gotten out by Congressman Godwin giving the average cotton prices for ten years and the exports each year and number of bales raised. Starting with 1898, under Republican rule and cotton at 4.9 cents per pound, prices are given straight on through to 1913 in their order. This would show Republican rule to be responsible for the lowest cotton prices in ten years—4.9 cents—and without any war or other special disturbance.

Chairman Warren says the reports from all parts of the State are most satisfactory in almost every way, the one drawback being the fact that in over half of the counties in the State there is no opposition ticket and there is danger that numbers of Democrats who would turn out and vote heartily in close election times may feel that there is no real necessity for their votes and remain at work on election day instead of going to the polls. Special effort is being made to avoid this result.

There were being mailed from the State headquarters today great quantities of campaign literature, especially pamphlets that set out in concise terms the achievements of the Democratic party in the State and the Nation. As to the State, present conditions of progress and State administration are set out, and the voter asked as to his willingness to separate himself from these conditions and take chances as to what would have been the conditions had Republicans and "fusion" been continued in power. As to the Nation, the tariff, the currency law, the anti-trust law, the farmers' extension act and other forward Democratic measures in the National administration with splendid direction of foreign relations are presented in contrast with "what might have been" under Republicanism.

Leading campaigners who are going into every section of the State on speaking expeditions are reporting to the headquarters most assuring conditions. Attorney General Bickett, back from the extreme western section where he filled numbers of engagements on both sides of the Blue Ridge, says that in his opinion neither the Eighth nor the Tenth or any other congressional district in the State is in any danger of turning Republican. He considers the re-election of Congressman Gudger in the Tenth and of Congressman Doughton in the Eighth as just as sure as can be. He never knew the Democracy of the mountain sections to be in finer fighting trim or more confident of victory.

R. J. STAUB NOT MURDERED.

Death from Natural Causes, Says Craven County Physician.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Oct. 20.—After the community had been greatly excited Saturday night by the news that H. J. Staub, a well known citizen of this city, had been murdered by some unknown party at his farm two miles out of town, County Physician Dr. Joseph Rhem exploded the theory by declaring, after he had performed an autopsy on the body, that Mr. Staub had not been murdered, but that his death was due to natural causes and that the wound on his head, which led to the murder theory, was caused by contact with the concrete floor of the cow shed where the body was found.

The result of this autopsy was made known to the coroner's jury and they returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased had come to his death from natural causes. Another thing that led to the belief that Mr. Staub had been foully dealt with was the fact that he was known to have had some trouble with a man and, when his body was found with a gaping wound in the top of his head, it was naturally supposed that he had been murdered. While it is supposed that this wound was caused when the body struck the concrete floor, it will never be positively known that this is a fact and there are many who still hold to the opinion that Mr. Staub was struck by some person. According to the theory of a well known physician, even this would not have caused death as the autopsy revealed the fact that the deceased was dead before he struck the floor. However, the decision of the coroner's jury has cleared up matters and shown that murder was not committed in this case.

FREE WILL BAPTISTS MEET.

Annual Conference Convenes at Friendship, Near Trenton.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 22.—The Eastern Conference of the Free Will Baptist church met in Friendship church, near Trenton, this morning. Elder J. W. Alford, of Morehead City, presiding, preached the opening sermon. The conference embraces the churches in Lenoir, Wayne, Duplin, Jones, Onslow, Craven, Beaufort, Pamlico and Carteret counties. The sessions will last through four days.

SPORTS

Farmers Downed West Virginia

TENNEY, IN GAME FIRST TIME SINCE RECENT INJURIES, WAS INJURED AGAIN.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 22.—North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College here today defeated the University of West Virginia at football, 26 to 23.

The A. & M. victory was due largely to long runs by Riddick and Van Brockton. Tenney, the A. & M. fullback, who was in the game for the first time since being injured early in the season, was again injured. He may be out of the game for the remainder of the season. West Virginia's scores resulted from forward passes in the third period.

CLEMSEN COLLEGE EASILY DOWNED FURMAN UNIVERSITY

Greenville, S. C., Oct. 22.—Clemson College football team had easy sailing over Furman University here today, winning 57 to 0. At the beginning of the second half, Coach Williams placed the entire Clemson scrub team on the field and they scored two touchdowns within the last five minutes of play the varity backfield was again injected in the line up and they scored two more touchdowns. Straight line plays featured the work of both teams.

JOHNSON READY TO JUMP SAY ST. LOUIS FEDERALS.

Has Written St. Louis Manager to That Effect the Reports Say.

St. Louis, Oct. 21.—Walter Johnson, of the Washington Americans, it is said, is willing to play with the St. Louis Federal League team in 1915, and may sign within the next few days.

Johnson has written several letters to Fielder Jones, manager of the St. Louis Federals, according to the management here, expressing his willingness to sign, as his contract with the Washington team expired this fall.

WEEGHMAN DICKERING FOR PURCHASE OF CHICAGO NATS.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 22.—Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federals, conferred here today with Charles P. Taft over possible purchase of Mr. Taft's interest in the Chicago Nationals. It is understood no definite agreement was reached.

ANNUAL FOOTBALL CONTEST AMONG HIGH SCHOOLS

Event This Year Promises to be More Successful Than Last Year.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., 21.—The second annual football contest between the high schools of North Carolina under the patronage of the University bids fair to eclipse that held last year both in numbers and interest. The following are the high schools that have entered up to date: Asheville, Shelby, Huntersville, Winston-Salem, High Point, Greensboro, Newbern, Goldsboro, Kinston, Raleigh, Bessemer City, Washington, and Wilmington. There will probably be quite a few more enter the lists. Among the most important of the rules governing the contest are:

That any football team representing any high school that shall have won up to and including November 14, 1914, as many as three games from schools of equal rank and lost none, shall be eligible for the preliminary contest, providing that the manager of the team shall notify the committee of his desire to enter the contest before November 18 and shall send a record of the games played.

That the players composing the team of any sechool must be bona fide students of the Institution they represent. In order to be a bona fide student he must have a passing grade on a majority of his studies and must have attended school 30 per cent of the time up to the game in which he is going to play.

That the committee in consultation with the different coaches and managers shall immediatly after November 14 arrange for preliminary contests for the purpose of selecting by elimination two teams which shall come to Chapel Hill for the final game of the contest, this date to be set by the committee.

That the committee will pay half the railway fare both ways and provide entertainment for the two teams making the final contest while they are in Chapel Hill.

BOY BANISHED FROM STATE.

Judgment Suspended in Case Against Dan Davis at Whiteville.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Oct. 20.—Dan Davis, a young white boy, who has had more or less of a court record, was arrested about three miles from Whiteville Sunday night by Deputy Sheriff D. Gaston Best and lodged in jail until this morning, when he was given a hearing before County Judge Kooce on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. The crime was committed about tow years ago, his victim being a first cousin, and since that time he has successfully evaded the officers until his arrest Sunday night. On account of the urgent appeal made to the court by the prosecuting witness allowed hi mto pay the costs and suspended judgment upon the condition that he leave the State immediately.

RAILROADS CONCLUDE APPEAL FOR INCREASE

Argument Will Be Reached in a Day or Two is Belief

Counsel for the Eastern Roads Indicate That Testimony on Their Side of the Case Will be Ended This Morning.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Counsel for the Eastern railroads which are seeking a 5 per cent advance in freight rates indicated today that their case before the Interstate Commerce Commission would be completed tomorrow with the testimony of one more witness. The attorneys representing the shippers have not announced their plans but it is believed they will have few witnesses and that arguments soon will be presented.

W. C. Maxwell, general traffic manager of the Wabash System, appearing today in the interest of the Central Freight Association, presented masses of figures to show the roads are in urgent need of greater revenues. He estimated that increased revenues accruing to the Wabash system through the advance allowed by the commission's recent decision would amount to only $550,000 annually which he said would be inadequate. Nothing short of radical revision of all the rates, such as was recently undertaken in New England, he said, would suffice.

"Anything else is just playing with the situation," he said. "The conditions of bankruptcy is there and is there to stay."

Attention was called during the day to Mr. Maxwell's figures for maintenance of way and equipment for 1914, on the various roads. In some instances these showed a decided increase over similar statistics for 1913. Commissioner Clark sought an explanation, and the witness agreed to supply it.

"We are using a lot of old shoes, patching them up," he said. "With new equipment that expense would be cut down."

Montreal, Oct. 20.—Tho men were killed, a dozen injured and a tenement block wrecked here tonight by an explosion supposed to have been caused by a bomb. The block was occupied mainly by Russians.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION AND GENERAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given of the General Election in the County of New Hanover on Tuesday after the first Monday of November, it being the 3rd day of November, 1914.

Said election will be held during the hours and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

Registration books will be opened Monday, October 5th, and remain open until the close of the day of October 25th, for the registration of new voters and the transfer of voters from one Ward or Precinct to another.

Registrars will be in attendance at the polling places of their respective wards and precincts on Saturdays of each week during said registration period.

The polling places and names of the registrars and Judges of Election fixed for the aforesaid election are as follows:

First Ward, First Precinct—Polling place: Fourth Street Bridge. Registrar, W. McD. Evans; Judges, B. C. Moore and James Elkins.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place: Engine House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, W. H. Northrop, Jr., and Wm. Sheehan.

Second Ward—Polling place: Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, H. P. Munson and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward—Polling place: Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, S. J. Ellis and Coy Hewett.

Fourth Ward—Polling place: McClellan's Stable, on Dock, between Front and Second. Registrar: Geo. P. Howie; Judges, J. O. Reilly and S. Seigler, Sr.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Polling place: Front and Queen streets. Registrar, R. Henry Orrell; Judges, Edward Register and Thos. Lossen.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place: Engine House, Sixth and Castle streets. Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, W. M. Creasy and W. H. Biddle.

Cape Fear Precinct—Polling place: Johnson's Store, Four and One-Half Mile Post. Registrar, J. Herbert Johnson; Judges, W. D. Rhodes, Jr., and J. W. Winders.

Delgado Precinct — Polling place: Barber Shop. Registrar, R. F. Hall; Judges, W. D. McCaig and W. A. Woods.

Seven Mile Post Precinct—Polling place: Seven Mile Post. Registrar, Jas. N. Shepard; Judges, R. J. Canady and M. O. West.

Seagate Precinct—Polling place: Rodgers' Store. Registrar, John Hines; Judges, G. W. Westbrook and Geo. Rodgers.

Masonboro Precinct — Polling place: Farrar's Store. Registrar, W. Horne; Judges, J. P. Herring and Addison Hewlett.

Federal Point Precinct — Polling place: T. J. Burnett's house. Registrar, H. A. Kure, Sr.; Judges, T. J. Burnett and Hank Williams.

The above notice cancels all other polling places and the changes indicated are hereby published in accordance with law, together with the full list of polling places.

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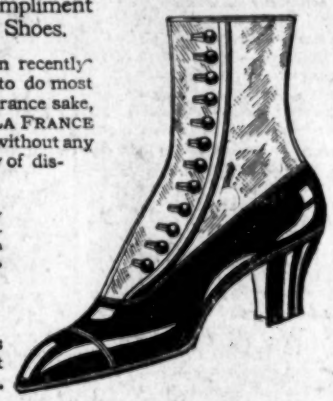

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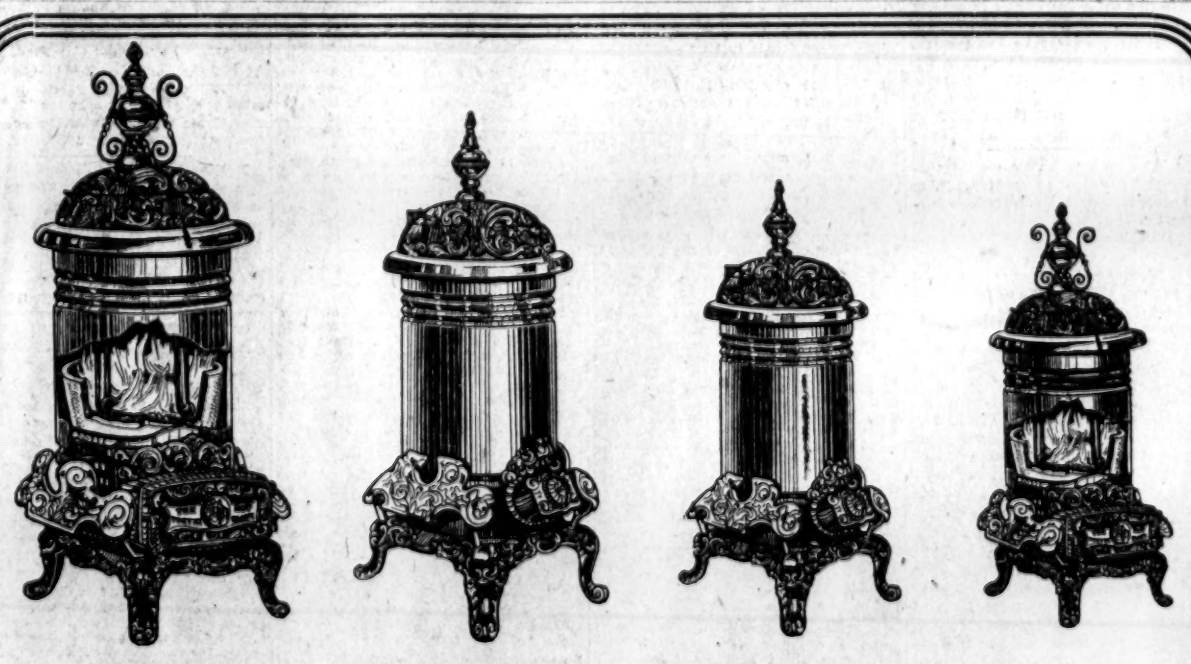

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1914.

The best way for us to remain neutral is to keep our mouths shut.

Switzerland's army has to go home every now and then, to see about his family.

Lodz having been captured from the Russians by the Germans, Liz will have to look out for herself.

The time to be economical is all the time. When money is spent, the public should get its money's worth in improvements.

Cotton is king, but like the royal heads of Europe, its crown is sitting rather loosely upon its stately cranium just now.

Society shudders at crimes discovered but tolerates unlawfulness of every kind so long as the unlawful can avoid detection.

With thousands of miles of water on every side of us, the man who made the geography books certainly favored America from a military viewpoint if from no other.

Standpatters don't appeal to us, for the reason that they expect us to be willing to bear a tariff burden for the benefit of special interests. Somebody else might like to be plucked to furnish down for others. We do not. Do you?

The Japanese navy is still seizing Pacific islands for Great Britain. If the beneficiary of Japan's activities in the war can hold the territory that is being taken away from Germany, her possessions will come nearer than ever to encircling the globe.

Mr. A. D. Turner, of Chadbourn, proposes to aid the "buy-a-bale" movement by acting as the purchasing agent in Columbus county for all who desire to purchase cotton at any price in order to hold it off the market. The buy-a-bale plan was to pay 10 cents in order to prevent a large class of farmers from loss on their cotton, but at the present time, Mr. Turner writes, the market price for cotton is from 7 to 9 cents per pound for middling. A bale weighs from 410 to 550 pounds, and a bale can be stored a year for one-half cent a pound. Mr. Turner is a responsible citizen of Chadbourn and offers the Murchison National Bank of Wilmington as reference.

The Charlotte Observer makes this timely and excellent suggestion: "The next office Secretary Redfield establishes for the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce should be located nearer to the canal zone—at Wilmington, for instance." It would be a good idea for our Chamber of Commerce to impress upon Secretary Redfield the commercial importance and the trade eligibility of Wilmington, especially so far as Latin America is concerned. The Secretary is one of the broadest and most forward looking of the Cabinet officials at Washington and he has a comprehensive grasp upon the great work he is doing for the commerce of this country. A good word for Wilmington might appeal to his fine intelligence in this connection.

The Bladen Journal, with its issue of Thursday, begins its sixth year of publication, whereupon the Star wishes to extend its heartiest congratulations to Editor Meares. Modestly he states that he has fallen short of making the paper come up to his ideals, but as a matter of fact, newspaper men all over the State will agree that he is publishing a paper that is highly representative of Bladen county. It is a credit to so small a town as Clarkton, and its support by the people of Bladen is a plain indication of their public spirit. The Journal is doing a great work for Bladen and the people of that county are doing right by themselves and promoting their own and their splendid county's interests by standing by their paper. Bladen is a county of great possibilities, and it needs such an excellent paper as the Journal to attract attention to it.

HAVE WE LOST OUR INITIATIVE?

Trade and manufacturing conditions as described in Associated Press correspondence in The Star this morning, disclose the fact that great opportunities exist in England, France, Russia and other countries for American manufacturers and exporters. It is not alone the large government contracts that are seeking for takers, but dealers are seeking in vain for supplies.

A London letter in today's Star will open the eyes of our people. It is stated that big business is going begging in London and that neither our manufacturers nor our exporters have agents there to seize the opportunities that have arisen as a matter of necessity. Instead of our seeking business we are letting business seek us. On account of the European war we have a chance to reap a harvest, according to the Associated Press disclosure made direct from London.

Manufacturing is at a dead standstill in England and trade is paralyzed. Even if English manufacturers and traders were in a position to do business, the scarcity of money acts as a stay to their enterprise. However, money might not be so scarce, as a matter of fact, but financing is difficult if not impossible owing to the war situation.

What has become of the boasted commercial prowess of Americans? Have we lost our initiative? Have we let a foreign war so overwhelm us with panic that we can't move a peg? It really seems so.

It certainly is a peculiar situation that with the competition of possibly 300,000,000 of Europe's producers prevented by war, we are not going to invade the markets there and elsewhere. For fifty years the Republican party has tried to shut out competition at home by a tariff wall, and now that war has eliminated competition with us in all parts of the world, what is the matter with our keenness and initiative?

This country ought to turn loose its surplus and hoarded money, and acquire a sufficient stock of nerve to make the most of commercial opportunities while Europe is plunged into the midst of its greatest misfortune.

SOUTH CAROLINA'S BOND RELIEF MEASURE.

Rejecting all amendments except one, the South Carolina Senate on Wednesday overwhelmingly passed the bond resolution aimed at relieving the cotton crisis in that State. The House having passed a similar measure, it is inevitable, as heretofore predicted by the Columbia State, that the General Assembly would go on record with the biggest bond issue proposition over undertaken by any Southern State.

The resolution provides for a state issue of $35,000,000 in bonds of five years term and bearing a coupon rate of 5 per cent. interest for the purpose of providing the State with funds with which to buy cotton at 10 cents per pound or make loans on cotton at a credit calue of 9 cents per pound. Under the bill the State will either buy the cotton outright from the producer on a producer can give his note to the State, together with his warehouse receipt, and obtain a loan of nine cents per pound. In either case the producer must put up 10 per cent in cash for interest and cost charges. Under the bill the benefits are for the producer of cotton, or for the land owner on which the cotton is grown, and holders of cotton for benefit of producers or land owners. An amendment was adopted, at the suggestion of Senator Nicholson, extending the benefits of the bond issue to those corporations or persons who purchased cotton outright or took it in on account at ten cents per pound prior to October 20, provided that such cotton was grown in South Carolina and that such persons or corporations be citizens of that State.

The resolution is to be submitted by referendum to a vote of the people at the general election, November 3rd, and should the bond act be ratified, South Carolina will have us all watching to see if she can bring $35,000,000 into the State on such a credit as bonds issued on the terms fixed by the Legislative act. The Charleston News and Courier takes a hopeless view of such an experiment. Anticiting the absolutely certain passage of the bond act, that paper says:

"The latest plan which has been advanced—the proposal that the State issue $35,000,000 in bonds to be used to purchase cotton at 10 cents per pound—is fraught with grave danger. If it were put through it would undoubtedly tend to stimulate cotton production during the next few years no matter what artificial provisions might be made against such an effect. It would throw upon the State the burden of the great loss that would ensue in case the price of the cotton brought and held by the State did not rise to the valorization figure. It would establish a precedent both politically and economically unsound and unquestionably highly dangerous. These are among the after effects almost sure to ensue; and over against these the plan presents no reasonably certain promise of affording immediate and material relief to the present distress of those whom it is intended primarily to benefit. If there was ever a possibility that, radical as any such plan would of necessity be, something practical and ultimately beneficial might be accomplished under some form of a bond issue scheme, the form which the scheme has actually assumed and in which it has passed the Senate serves to strengthen the conviction of those who regarded the whole proposition as very doubtful at best and likely to breed ills more serious than those which it was designed to cure. The General Assembly is powerless to offset and nullify the effects of the most tremendous war in the history of the human race and the most violent disturbance of the world's business since civilization began. That legislation could not provide a remedy for the situation in which we are placed through the smashing of the cotton market was urged again and again in this State and in other States where legislative action was proposed; and the soundness of that view is demonstrated by what has been done at Columbia so far. The "elimination" fantasy seems to have gone by the board; the crop reduction bill can accomplish nothing that would not have occurred automatically if the Legislature had never convened; the bond issue proposal holds far more promise of landing us on the rocks than of carrying us safely through the straits to a safe haven of prosperity."

The bond issue measure was so strongly favored by the South Carolina senate that it was passed by a vote of 25 to 7. Sentiment in favor of it was practically unanimous, and the probability is that the voters will endose what the Legislature has done.

This action by the South Carolina legislature shows how the war conditions in Europe have brought a panicky condition upon the very minds of the men of one of our Southern States. It is a most extraordinary measure, and it is likely to show how powerless is legislative action to meet such a trying emergency and deplorable situation as the war has precipitated upon our cotton growers.

Everything is anxious for relief for the cotton situation, but that even a state can finance itself upon such a plan as that proposed in South Carolina is beyond belief in circles which now comprehend the financial conditions here and in Europe.

THE PEOPLE ELECT SENATORS.

It is reported in Washington that a candidate for the Legislature in North Carolina has stated that if elected to the General Assembly he will vote for Senator Lee S. Overman's return to the United States Senate. We hardly believe there is a candidate for the Legislature so misinformed on the question of how a United States Senator is to be elected this year, but it is well to state for the benefit of the voters generally that they will elect the Senator by popular vote.

Senator Overman is the Democratic nominee for Senator and he will be overwhelmingly elected. Nevertheless, every Democrat should turn out and vote. This will be the first time in the history of the Republic when United States senators will be elected by the people and North Carolina voters should so appreciate their new right as to exercise it as a public duty as well as a matter of party loyalty.

The election of senators by the people puts a new responsibility on the voters. It means that this is more than ever a Democratic nation and that in the election on the 3rd of November the people have complete control of the matter of choosing the legislative branch of their government, as they have in electing their President and Vice President by the Electoral College representing the people through election.

Once more The Star wishes to emphasize the fact that this election is vitally important to the Democracy. Its national administration has been on trial and is entitled to the fullest endorsement. Even more important is the necessity of electing a large majority of Congress so the Democratic administration can complete its work for the people. Their government is now in their hands and they should keep it there for all time.

AMERICA VS. GERMANY IN INVENTION.

To the Editor of The Star:

In your interesting editorial of today you make the statement that if an American had invented the siege gun used by the German army it would have been known to the world before breakfast, and it has appealed to me as a peculiar compliment to the open and generous charatcer of the American people in line with our diplomacy and in striking contrast to the invidious methods of the Germans.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that were it not for American invention the Germans would hardly be in position to wage a modern war. The great siege guns we hear so much about were made possible by a range-finding device invented by an American and used in the American Navy today. The machine guns they use are the product of an American mind, while the aeroplane was given to the world by the Wright brothers. The credit for the submarine I think lies between Robert Fulton and Cingust, a native of Holland, but was first made practical by Bushnell, of Connecticut.

There is some confusion as to this, but at any rate Germans had no hand in its invention. The steam locomotive that makes quick mobilization of her troops possible was given to her by Stevenson, and the steamboat by Robert Fulton. The telephone that affords quick communication between her armies is the child of Bell, and the telegraph by Morse, both Americans.

In fact, as we look around and observe the many useful devices now in use, we are constrained to believe that Germany, after all, has not given the world very much. The wireless system used in sending their news to this country is the invention of an Italian. Germany has not been noted for her sculptors and artists, and no student in pursuit of art would think of going to Berlin. She has given the world some great musicians and the Germans are great apothecaries, as they have flooded the world with pills and nostrums whose virtues in many cases are doubtful, but they have advertised them and they are cheap, which is the main fact to many people.

Yours truly, AMERICAN.
Wilmington, Oct. 21.

INDUSTRY, EFFICIENCY, SELF-DENIAL

To the Editor of the Star:

The need of this country is industry, efficiency and self-denial, as well as morals and education. If we do not have the first three the last two will not do us much good. We will be top-heavy, or I should say: without a proper foundation. Enlightened nations like Germany, whose people are up on industry and special training and who can live without being in debt or only a little in debt, when strenuous times, like the present, come they hardly feel it.

I recollect the panic of 1873: I lived in Brunswick County, 28 miles from here. I was working six days each week and was out of debt, had a little money ahead and while prices went down on turpentine and I lost some bad debts occasionally, I still made something on my business. I did not feel it like people feel panics now, when the average man, whether he is a merchant or not, is in debt all the time generally about as much as he can get on credit; hence, when a panic comes every one is in a bad fix and more or less at the mercy of those they owe. If we would keep out of debt strenuous times like these would never worry us much. We are living more extravagantly or were ninety days ago than ever known in this country before.

We have drifted into a nation of Esau's, or at least a majority of us have. He sold his birthright for a meal of victuals he wanted and must have right then. What was his birthright? I imagine he being the oldest son he inherited all his Father's land and live stock and provisions to run it. I think the law of Primogeniture was in force among the Jews at that time, in which the oldest son inherits his father's landed estate with the live stock and crops attached to run it with. In fact, I think the English got that law from the Hebrews or Jews. I fear many of our people are drifting that way now and when they lose what they have for want of industry and economy or self-denial they blame the man who saved his by practicing those self-denying virtues.

Our young men and young women should be willing to begin life where their fathers and mothers began, not where the wealthiest of the parents stopped. Eat our meat and hominy until we have made and saved something before we order the best cuts of pork and beef and the finest and best of every thing else.

Someone said: "Despise not the day of small things too early." When a man courts his future wife he ought to tell her all about his financial standing and as a rule the girl he marries would start off as a help-meet and general partner and all through life he ought to tell his wife his successes and failures and thus treat her as a partner in all his affairs and they will pass down to old age much more pleasantly than they would if he had fooled his bride at first and made her lose confidence in him at the beginning.

Don't be ashamed to work; learn to do it efficiently and again don't be ashamed to work, but keep eternally at it, that is what counts. It is regular work and a reasonable portion of self-denial that makes success. A man can get to be and is sometimes too stingy, but I have never seen many of them. He should not be niggardly stingy but economical and now is the time to practice ecomony. The Bible says: "The borrower is servant to the lender." And if a man intends to pay his debts he does feel under obligations to the man he owes. If we will settle down to hard work and save up all we can, in a few years we will be the most prosperous people on this earth. And while we are doing this we must not forget our creator, but serve him and support all his good works.

Some poet said:

"Let us then be up and doing
With a heart for any fate
Still achieving, still pursueing
Learn to labor and to wait."

But someone else said: "But we must hustle while we wait".

Respectfully,
D. L. GORE

CURRENT COMMENT.

Not a pound of butter could be bought in Lincolnton for a day or two this week at any price. Butter brings 20 cents a pound and cotton 7 cents. More butter and less cotton. Butter will sell, war or no war, but cotton is subject to the king's orders for mobilization.—Lincoln County News.

Champion after champion has been killed in the war. The best swimmer and the fastest runner in France have met death, and now the tallest general in the British army, Gen. Ian Hamilton, has been dropped by a German bullet. Perhaps if he had not been such a giant the bullet would have gone over his head instead of into it.—Savannah News.

A new addition to the five-story grain elevator of the flour mills at Statesville is being built, so that the increasing business of the company may be the better accommodated. The Observer is told that this big structure is filled from ground floor to top with wheat and that the company is doing a business which is increasing all over this part of the State. It is the equipping and operating of mills of this character which is doing more to encourage the increase in growing of small grain than all the argument on the over-production of cotton. It is one of the encouraging signs of the times that the roller flour mill is being multiplied in this part of North Carolina, Rowan, Iredell, Cleveland and Catawba having mill facilities that are good and constantly being increased.—Charlotte Observer.

Plenty of opossums this year. Seems as if nature ever smiles upon the Southern darkey, for why should he mind the hard times resultant from the war if his dogs are running good and the potatoes are sweet?

If Zapata really is disposed to take a hand in helping to quiet the situation in Mexico, we may hope for peace so our sister Republic can elect a president of her own choosing and have a representative government that can restore Mexico to its place among prosperous and stable countries.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.
Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington, N. C.

Willer Coal Company against The Steamer J. L. Lawrence, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and person, lawfully intervening for their interest therein, in a cause of contract, civil and maritime.

In obedience to Warrant of Seizure to me directed in the above entitled cause, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to-wit:

The Steamer J. L. Lawrence, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and for the cause set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed, according to the prayer of the said libel, that they be and appear before the said court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina at the City of Wilmington on the 21st day of October, 1914, at 11 o'clock, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, there interpose a claim on the same and to make their allegation in their behalf.

W. T. DORTCH,
U. S. Marshal.

By J. N. Fennell, D. M.
October 19, 1914.
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Full size; neat patterns, well made; close, high neck; long sleeves.

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Good quality white Muslin, made up nicely; high or low neck; short or long sleeves; extra value.

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Needing more space to take care of our growing business, we have moved to Nos. 310 and 312 Nutt Street, in building formerly occupied by W. B. Cooper, and are now better prepared to serve you with a full line of Heavy Groceries, at close prices.

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RECEIVERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned receivers of the Buell Crocker Lumber Co., hereby notify creditors of said company that they are requested to file their claims with the undersigned receivers, Burgaw, N. C., on or before the first day of November 1914, as provided by the order of the judge of the Superior Court pertaining to such matters. If claims are not filed on or before the first of November 1914, this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

F. M. JOBSON,
JAY H. BUELL,
Receivers.

This, October 1st, 1914.
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THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Handsome Booklet and Accompanying Letter Invites Larger Interest in Work of Organization.

In celebration of its recent removal to new and splendid quarters on the seventh floor of the Murchison National Bank Building, the Chamber of Commerce, through Secretary Howard B. Branch, has issued a most attractive little booklet presenting a splendid cut of the handsome new office building which contains the home of the organization, together with much other attractive data about Wilmington and Wilmington business, the booklet being from the press of the Wilmington Stamp & Printing Co.

A copy of the booklet is being mailed to each member of the Chamber and with it a letter from Secretary Branch inviting members to make the fullest possible use of the new quarters and the facilities provided in a number of other lines. In fact, it is proposed to generally revive the work of the organization and make a membership in the Chamber a thing of value and constant pleasure. In addressing the members, Secretary Branch says in his letter:

"Dear Sir:—At the request of President Corbett and the Executive Committee, of the Chamber of Commerce, I am mailing you herewith a booklet containing general information about the organization, its aims and purposes.

"The Chamber occupies commodious and attractive quarters on the seventh floor of the Murchison Bnak building, arranged to suit the needs of the organization and for the convenience of members, who are expected at visit the rooms as often as possible. In securing better quarters the committee had in mind a suitable place for members to come at all times. Members are requested to make it a point to come to the Chamber every day, if only for a stay of a few minutes.

"In addition to the market quotation service, the Chamber has a complete directory file of all large cities, reading table with daily newspapers and commercial periodicals the latest census reports and much other information at the disposal of members.

"We will be pleased to have you read the enclosed booklet carefully and any assistance you can give in securing additions to the membership will be much appreciated.

"Yours very truly,
"WILMINGTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
"H. B. BRANCH, Secretary."

President Corbett and Secretary Branch desire to lay emphasis on the fact that members are urged to visit the rooms of the Chamber, even if but for a few minutes, each day. They believe the organization is now on a much more satisfactory basis than ever before and members are asked to make the fullest and freest use of the Chamber.

The objects of the Chamber are succinctly stated on the fly leaf of the little folder just issued. The words are these: "Organized for the advancement of the commercial interests of Wilmington and North Carolina, the upbuilding of its trade and commerce, and the creation of a widespread knowledge of its resources, its industrial advantages and its attractiveness."

Under a separate caption, "What is the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce?" the booklet says: "An organization of citizens who desire to make greatest use of their citizenship. It is an organization of common business knowledge, of common business problems, of the people of Wilmington. It is free from partisan politics."

Under "Co-operation Keynote," the booklet adds: "Its programme is to obtain real co-operation and its object promotion of business and municipal development and the civic advancement of the City of Wilmington. It regards the public business as of greater importance than the private business of any individual or group of individuals. It's a bureau of service for the merchant, the manufacturer, the professional man and the citizen."

Answering the question, "What is the General Scop of Its Work?" the booklet adds further: "Its purpose is to make Wilmington a better place in which to live. Its aim is to create a better appreciation of the value of disinterested public service. Its object, to get people to become permanent and profitable customers of the good things which this city can supply. It proposes to demonstrate that the best city in the world is the city that can get the largest number of people to acknowledge its superior virtues."

Of its industrial and civic growth, we are told: "It recognizes that a community cannot afford to lose sight of civic advancement. It believes that commerce and civics go forward hand in hand. Finally it proposes to demonstrate that "the City Beautiful" is the result of 'the city busy.' It hopes to show that the community, as the individual, that service best will profit most."

Throughout the book is filled with these pertinent, pithy points, that form a strong introduction to the Chamber, its aims and purposes. On the last leaf is a list of officers and committees of the Chamber. The book is exceptionally well gotten out and should serve its purpose of enlisting a large and more abiding interest in the organization.

BOOKS ARE WANTED.

At the Sanatorium They Are Boon Companions.

(State Board of Health.)

There is no place where a good book is more appreciated than at the State Sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis. There the patients have nothing to do but to get well and everything brining cheer, a new vision or an uplifting thought into their lives is a direct aid in the process. To those who are not confined to their beds, reading is a wholesome entertainment and speeds many a heavy-footed moment on. Some of the patients learn there to read for their first time and eagerly take this opportunity to learn to read and write while they gain in weight and strength.

A good library at the Sanatorium would in no wise fall in the true mission of a library. Its educative, entertaining and inspiring offices would be entered into and appreciated. As a source of comfort, hope and light its influence would be as the wideness of the sea.

This need of the Sanatorium opens up a splendid opportunity to individuals, societies, clubs, orders and other organizations to make donations either in books, magazines, daily and weekly papers, or in other equipment for a good up-to-date reading room. Those having good books of fiction, of verse, biography or copies of the standard writers, that they have read, might as well pack them up and send to the Sanatorium instead of packing them away to become dust eaten and mouldy for lack of use and with age.

FOR UNIFORM QUARANTINE

Health Department Turning Attention to Important Measure—Letters to Physicians.

Steps made possible by the new health regulations are now being taken by the local health department looking toward the establishment of a uniform quarantine practice in Wilmington and New Hanover county and letters have been mailed to all the physicians of the city and county calling their attention to this fact and informing them as to the minimum time periods for the different infectious diseases.

The letters mailed out by the department are as follows:

"Dear Doctor:—In order that the practice in quarantine and isolation under the new Regulations shall be uniform, the following minimum time periods for each disease have been fixed:

"Scarlet fever, six weeks; whooping cough, six weeks; diphtheria, two weeks; measles, two weeks; smallpox, three weeks.

"The law also provides that cases of the above named diseases may be released from quarantine at any time that the physician in attendance will furnish a written certificate that such cases are no longer a source of infection. Inasmuch as we have the facilities for determining the presence of the diphtheria organism in swabs from the throat, no case of diphtheria will be released on certificate until two sterile swabs have been secured from the throat of the patient, the swabs having been taken with a 24 hour interval between."

The provisions of the State law on quarnatine will be followed by the local authorities. The law provides that cases may be released from quarantine whenever the attending physician shall certify in writing that the case is no longer a source of infection. There is only one disease among the common infections in which it is possible to determine with satisfactory definiteness that the patient is no longer a source of infection. That disease is diphtheria.

The health department is now equipped for making microscopic examinations of specimens from the throat in cases of diphtheria and, under the statute which provides especially for the control of diphtheria, all cases will be subjected to this test before they are released from quarantine. Any physician may make this test and certify in writing to the quarantine officer the results of the test. The case may be released on such certificate.

However, it is pointed out that in matters of quarantine, the State law compels the attending physician to place each case under quarantine and to notify the quarantine officer at once of his action, giving name and address of the patient. This is the only function that the attending physician performs in matters of quarantine, other than the duty of instructing his patients and the nurses and in seeing that the provision of the quarantine are carried out as the law provides.

The quarantine officer is held responsible under the law for the release of all quarantine cases and no attending physician has power under the law to release a case that has been quarantined.

The opening of the schools has always been attended by an increase in the occurrence of scarlet fever, whooping cough and diphtheria. It is the desire of the health department to extend its efforts for the protection of the school children, and the new health regulations were drawn with this end in view.

The health officials state that it will be necessary for citizens to be patient in this connection and to co-operate as fully as possible with the efforts of their family physician and the health officers in keeping the sickness which they have had in their homes from spreading to the homes of friends and neighbors, and it is especially recommended that the citizens keep in mind that their own physicians are not to be held accountable for the inconvenience of quarantine, which is established and practiced as one of the most important means of abolishing infectious diseases.

DISPLAY LOCAL PRODUCTS.

Committee to Arrange "Made in Wilmington" Exhibit for Fair.

President M. J. Corbett, of the Chamber of Commerce, has appointed a committee to prepare a "made in Wilmington" exhibit for the Corn Show in this city, November 10th to 13th, and the display is expected to prove one of the most interesting on exhibition.

The committee is composed of Messrs. C. Van Leuven, chairman; E. P. Willard, L. W. Moore, A. B. Skelding and H. B. Branch, secretary of the Chamber. The committee will meet today at noon and outline the work to be done.

A similar exhibit at last year's corn show was one of the most interesting features of the event, and many visitors expressed surprise over the variety and excellence of Wilmington's manufactured products. However, more time and effort will be expended in getting up the exhibit this year, and it is expected to far surpass that of last fall. An effort will be made to include in the exhibit specimens of the output of all of Wilmington's manufacturing enterprises—and these cover a range the extent of which even many well posted citizens are not aware.

FERTILIZER AGENCIES CO.

Mr. Wilton Randolph in Charge of Local Offices.

The Fertilizer Agencies Company have opened an office in the new Murchison Bank building and Mr. Wilton Randolph arrived here a few days ago from New York to take charge of this branch.

While Mr. Randolph has made his home in New York for a number of years, he is a member of the Virginia family of that name and is connected by marriage with the de Dosett family of this State.

Mr. Randolph is a recognized authority on nitrate of soda in particular, of which article some 58,000 tons arrived at this port last year, at a value approximately $3,000,000.

Bankers Attend Meeting.

Mr. Thos. E. Cooper, president of the American National Bank, and of the North Carolina Bankers' Association; Mr. H. C. McQueen, president of the Murchison National Bank, and Mr. W. C. Denny, assistant cashier of the American National Bank, left last evening for Raleigh to attend the special meeting there today of the State Association, called to consider the Wade-St. Louis $150,000,000 cotton pool plan. Mr. Cooper expressed the opinion yesterday that the plan would be endorsed by the association.

DAVIS TO OPPOSE GODWIN

Southport Lawyer Nominated by Republicans of Sixth District at Meeting Here.

Robert W. Davis, Esq., a well known member of the Southport bar, was nominated at an informal meeting of Republicans of the Sixth Congressional district, held in the court house here yesterday afternoon, as the Republican candidate for Congress to oppose Hon. Hannibal L. Godwin, the Democratic incumbent and nominee of his party to succeed himself, in the approaching election of November 3rd.

A formal convention had been called, but only five of the seven counties of the Sixth district were represented, and no quorum was present. However, it was decided to waive formality and select a Republican Congressional standard bearer in order that the Republicans of the district might have some one to vote for in the forthcoming election.

In addition to naming Mr. Davis as the Congressional candidate, the meeting also appointed executive committeemen from each county. Mr. Thos. E. Wallace, of this city, was elected chairman of the committee for the next two years, succeeding I. B. Tucker, Esq., of Whiteville.

Mr. Wallace presided over the meeting as chairman yesterday and Mr. R. L. Phillips, of Brunswick county, acted as secretary.

C. Ed Taylor, Esq., of Southport, placed the name of Mr. Davis in nomination. He stated that Mr. Davis had consented to this if the Republicans of the district deemed it best for the interests of the party, but that he would not attempt to make an active campaign in the short time remaining before the election. Mr. Taylor expressed the opinion that the nomination of Mr. Davis would materially strengthen the Republican ticket in Brunswick county. Mr. W. J. Meredith, of Wilmington, seconded the nomination of Mr. Davis, and the vote was by acclamation.

The executive committee named by the meeting yesterday is as follows:

Bladen—Richard S. White.
Brunswick—Robert W. Davis.
Columbus—Seth L. Smith.
Cumberland—D. C. Downing.
Harnett—John Holland.
New Hanover—S. M. King.
Robeson—Wade H. Kinlaw.

The election of Mr. Wallace as chairman of the executive committee was upon motion of Mr. Tayler, and in accepting Mr. Wallace made a short talk in which he stated that he realized that at present it was hopeless to expect to elect a Republican congressman from this district, but that he was an ardent and faithful member of the party, and that he would strive to make the best showing possible. Mr. Taylor added that it was not impossible to elect a Republican congressman in this district two years from now.

Present at the meeting yesterday were Mr. T. E. Wallace and Mr. W. J. Meredith, Wilmington; C. Ed Taylor, Esq., of Southport; C. N. Phillips, W. E. Dillsader and Elisha Sellers, of Brunswick.

DR. R. L. CARR BEREAVED.

Wife Passed Away at Roseboro on Tuesday—Funeral on Wednesday.

Many friends throughout this section of the State will sympathize deeply with Dr. R. L. Carr, of Rose Hill, N. C., in the death of his wife, Mrs. Victoria P. Carr, which occurred at the family home on Tuesday morning, after only a few days' illness, with pneumonia. Mrs. Carr was formerly Miss Victoria Patterson, of Taylorsville, N. C., and a young woman of culture and splendid Christian character, greatly beloved by all in the circle of her acquaintance. She was 36 years of age, and is survived, besides her husband, by three young sons, aged 8 and 4 years and 18 months, respectively.

Mrs. Carr was a member of the Rose Hill Presbyterian church, and took a prominent part in all the work of the church. The funeral was conducted on Wednesday by her pastor, Rev. W. P. M. Currie, of Rose Hill, assisted by pastors of the other churches there, and the interment was in Rock Fish cemetery, where many beautiful floral tributes were laid on the newly made grave, one especially pretty one being from the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Rose Hill Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. Carr was a devoted member. Others came from friends at Goldsboro, Warsaw, Magnolia and Wallace.

Dr. Carr, who is the Democratic nominee for the legislature from Duplin, and who had been making a very vigorous campaign of the county for two weeks, is crushed by the blow which has fallen upon him, and being indisposed himself, he has come to Harper's Sanitarium, in this city, where he will spend several days recuperating. He has the sympathy of many friends here in his deep affliction.

IN HANDS OF RECEIVERS.

Matter of Libelled Fishing Steamers Further Complicated.

Herbert McClammy, Esq., attorney for the Atlantic Phosphate & Oil Corporation, owners of the steamers Adroit, Portland and Lawrence, now held in this port under libel and attachment proceedings brought in the local United States and Superior courts, yesterday stated that the company had been thrown into a receivership in New York, thus still further complicating the somewhat complicated situation already existing.

The boats were leased from the Atlantic Corporation by a fisheries company and used in menhaden fishing in the waters off this coast.

United States Deputy Marshall Fennell yesterday went down the river to serve papers on still another steamer, the Nat Strong, of the same fleet.

Mr. McClammy said yesterday that the vessels may be released under bond soon, though he thought it possible that he might have to go to New York before the matter is settled.

Organize in Clarkton.

The Bladen Journal, of Clarkton, has the following: "Rev. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's church, Wilmington, will preach in the Presbyterian church here next Sunday morning and evening. At the close of the evening services it is the wish of the congregation to organize a Young People's Christian Endeavor Society. Dr. McClure, who is ex-president of the State Christian Endeavor, will have charge of the organization. On last Sunday night a number of the young people of the church met with the pastor and expressed their intention of joining. This organization is one of the best forms of church work for young people, and it is to be hoped that all the young people of the community will be present next Sunday night."

THE CIRCUS COMES TODAY

Arrival Early This Morning From Wilson, N. C.—Will Show at 12th and Dock Streets.

Barring accidents or other intervention of Providence, the Robinson Famous Shows, will arrive in the city early this morning from Wilson, N. C., traveling in their own special train of 21 long cars and coaches and both this afternoon and evening, performances will be given on the vacant lot between 12th and 13th and Dock and Orange streets.

The shows will detrain about 5 o'clock this morning at Delgado and the mammoth paraphernalia of the aggregation will be transported overland to the show grounds. The detraining, always an interesting sight, will likely be witnessed by a small army of small boys and not a few of the grown-ups, perhaps.

Advance representatives of the shows, who reached the city last night, stated that the show grounds in Wilson were immediately on the Atlantic Coast Line railroad tracks and that no time would be lost in loading, so that an early arrival here would be possible.

The exact line of the parade could not be given last night, but it was stated that it would be along the principal streets of the city, starting from the show grounds at 10 A. M., and reaching the big tent in time for the afternoon performance which will be at the usual hour.

The Robinson shows are said to be well up to the standard of former years and will likely be the largest show to visit here this season. A number of sensational features have been advertised and it is stated that the shows have come fully up to the press notices wherever they have exhibited this season.

NEXT NUMBER NOVEMBER 6TH.

Edwin R. Weeks Company in Brigade Lyceum Course.

The Alkahest Lyceum Bureau management has just advised Mr. Chas. Dushan that the next number of the Boys' Brigade Lyceum Course will be sent here on Friday night, November 6th. The entertainers will be the Edwin R. Weeks Company. To those who know these entertainers this announcement is always received with great pleasure. Mr. Edwin R. Weeks, from whom the company derives its name, is one of the best known and most successful of the many great humorous entertainers in America today. His success to please is shown in that among his thousands of engagements, he has been recalled to the Penn. Railroad Y. M. C. A. four times, Boston Y. M. C. A. three times; Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. three times; Troy Y. M. C. A. three times. These institutions all conduct very expensive courses and employ only the best talent and whenever an entertainer succeeds in being recalled even once by those institutions he has reason to feel elated, but when this recall is multiplied several times his success is an assured fact and his ability beyond question.

Mr. Weeks is accompanied by two ladies who assist him in the presentation of his programmes, a pianist and a violinist, both of whom measure up to himself in ability. These are not mediocre musicians secured to fill in spare time, but real musicians who are able to meet the most discriminating tastes of their hearers. However, this is not intended primarily to be a musical entertainment but rather a humorous entertainment, the object of which is to cause frowns to be replaced by the wrinkles of hearty laughter, to chase away the little blue devils and to replace them with a spirit of optimism and happiness which is very appropriate in this time of business depression and war. Those who remember the great Neil Litchfield, who appeared upon this course two years ago, will recall the convulsions of laughter in which they were kept for about two hours on that occasion. Mr. Weeks will do the same and as everybody loves to laugh this should be a very successful entertainment.

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No Need of Being Scrawny, Weak and Emaciated.

In these days of physical culture and health foods, one would hardly expect to see any thin, weak, emaciated people, but in spite of all this, nearly every person you meet is thin and scrawny.

Good, healthy flesh can only be gained by the use of the proper food with thorough assimilation of the fat-giving elements. Nine people out of ten in order to weigh as much as they ought and be perfectly healthy, should use Samose, the great flesh-forming food. Weigh yourself before commencing to use these little tablets, and see how your weight increases.

Samose has valuable flesh-forming and tissue-building properties, and when it is assimilated with the food, it causes the flesh-making elements to be retained and the weight is naturally increased.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., the popular druggists, have sold in the last few weeks a great many packages of Samose, every one with their personal guarantee to refund the money if it did not give satisfaction, and has had but one person ask for the money back.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.
Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington, N. C.

Springer Coal Company against The Steamer Nat Strong, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and person, lawfully intervening for their interest therein, in a cause of contract, civil and maritime.

In obedience to Warrant of Seizure to me directed in the above entitled cause, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to-wit:

The Steamer Nat Strong, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and for the cause set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed, according to the prayer of the said libel, that they be and appear before the said court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at the City of Wilmington on the 28th day of October, 1914, at 11 o'clock, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, there interpose a claim on the same and to make their allegation in their behalf.

W. T. DORTCH,
U. S. Marshal.

By J. N. Fennell, D. M.
October 20, 1914.
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. C. D. Weeks and two little daughters have returned from a visit to Florence, S. C.

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Mrs. A. D. Winstead and daughter have returned to the city after spending the summer at Southport.

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Mrs. E. T. Wade arrived yesterday from Monroe to spend a week or 10 days here with her husband, Mr. E. T. Wade, and son, Mr. J. E. L. Wade.

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Mrs. C. B. Bellois and two nieces, Misses Anna Leydecker and Bessie Bellois, are expected to arrive here on the Clyde steamer Sunday from New York.

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ADD SOCIAL ... ...

Bladen Journal, of Clarkton: Mrs. D. J. Clark, of Elizabethtown, passed through town one day this week en route to Wilmington, to be with her daughter, Miss Susanna Clark, who is in a hospital there.

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After spending several weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sanford, Mrs. H. C. Garrason has returned to her home in Greensboro. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Annie Kershaw, who will spend several weeks in Greensboro.

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The Thursday Morning Bridge Club gave a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Maude Brand at the home of Miss Florrie Northrop yesterday afternoon, when many charming gifts were showered upon Miss Brand, whose wedding next week to Mr. Thomas Carson Taliaferro, of Charlotte, will be one of the most brilliant events of the fall social season.

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Dr. Edwin A. Alderman and family, who were in Europe at the outbreak of the war and who spent several months in Switzerland following the beginning of hostilities, have arrived in this country. Dr. Alderman is president of the University of Virginia and a brother of Mrs. H. McL. Green, of this city.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: Mrs. Robert A. Mayer will entertain at her home on East Boulevard, Dilworth, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at bridge, in honor of Mrs. William Preston Bynum and Mrs. Gabriel Holmes, of Wilmington, guests of Mrs. J. M. Hill, and Miss Janie Fox, of Roanoke, Va., who is the guest of Miss Violet Alexander.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: Mrs. H. A. London, Jr., entertained the Wednesday Morning Bridge Club, at her home on South Tryon street, yesterday morning, acting as hostess instead of Mrs. W. R. Foreman. Mrs. W. B. Troy, of Memphis, Tenn., who is visiting Mrs. London, won the prize for the highest score. After the game luncheon was served. Those playing were: Mrs. J. M. Hill and guests, Mrs. William Preston Bynum, of Greensboro, and Mrs. Gabriel Holmes, of Wilmington; Mrs. John M. Scott, Mrs. Roger Davis, Mrs. Hugh A. Murrill, Mrs. Alva Springs and Mrs. W. B. Troy.

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Classes at the Y. W. C. A. in basketry, parliamentary law, and china painting will begin the first week in November. The basketry class will be taught by Miss Louise Harlow, and will meet each Tuesday afternoon and evening. Miss Margaret L. Gibson will teach the class in parliamentary law, which will meet each Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The class in china painting will be taught by Miss Florence Potter, and will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Other classes will be formed as soon as sufficient applications are received. Choice of a free scolarship in any of the educational courses of the Y. W. C. A. will be given anyone securing five members for a class.

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The bazar to be given by the ladies of the German-American Aid Society at the Germania Club Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 4th, 5th and 6th, promises to be one of the most elaborate ever given in the city and it is expected that quite a nice sum will be realized for the relief of German widows and orphans. Satisfactory progress by the committees soliciting contributions was reported at a meeting Wednesday afternoon, and the committee in charge also reported progress in plans for the arrangements of the different booths. It is planned to open the bazar on the evening of November 4th, at 6 o'clock and on the two following days it will be open both afternoon and evening. Supper will be served each evening beginning at 6 o'clock. The committees will meet again next Wednesday afternoon for final plans.

THEATRICAL

Those who remember "The Ham Tree," which comes to Academy tonight, will tell you it has all the good qualities of musical entertainment, pleasant melodies, rollicking comedy and picturesque settings. During its career as a Klaw and Erlanger production it led the field of lively entertainment. That was 6 years ago.

Its revival by John Cort this time should yield its own reward for it brings back a musical play that was always enjoyable with the two black blossoms of laughter, McIntyre and Heath, in their original role, one as a "chamber maid" in an Alabama stable and the other a sure-enough minstrel man. From the time the Georgia Minstrels arrive at Magnolia Springs until they appear in the Nicklebacker Mansion on 5th Avenue, New York, McIntyre and Heath as laugh producers are in a class all by themselves. How Alexander's Hambletonian from the livery stable, played by McIntyre, was lured away to become a minstrel, and how he became stranded down in Florida, finally to get on his feet with the actor man when they impersonate a Rajahoni and Rajah to deceive the wealthy Mr. Nicklebacker, never fails to convulse the audience. The Ham Tree and the Egg Tree are glowingly described by the optimistic actor, while the former "chambermaid," chronically pessimistic suffers the pangs of hunger.

McINTYRE AND HEATH.
In "The Ham Tree", Academy of Music. Tonight.

A new feature has been added in "Ebenezer" a trick mule. "Ebenezer" is a real thing and he knows his business. Indeed, so sprightly is the animal that when he comes on the stage everything but his trainer and the man who attempts to ride him, are very busy in their dressing rooms—it is doubtful if anyone can remain on Ebenezer's back if he seriously objects, which he very often does, to the delight of the audience.

It is said that John Cort has done much in his revision of this musical comedy this season in surrounding his stars with pretty chorus girls, chorus men, costumes that charm and music that pleases, and a notable cast, which includes Edward Wade, Arthur Barry, John Lorenz, Otto Johnson, Edward S. Holden, Norman Woodward, Mildred Beverly, Mabel Elaine, Jack Bell, Winnie and Jack Crisp.

Five Reels Again—Bijou.

Not content with the week's showing, which so far, has been the biggest in the history of the popular-priced photoplay house, the Bijou management will again today dish up another rousing five-reel bill, all for the tiny sum of a cent a reel. The Universal program, the best there is in movies, is fast becoming the "only" high class motion picture service, and the Bijou management was indeed fortunate in being able to snap it up some twelve months ago.

Today's headliner is a mammoth Rex two-reel dramatic feature, "A Law Unto Herself" a production that has received flattering press notices in the big cities where it has enjoyed an unprecendented run. It's something entirely out of the ordinary, telling a big story, the final analysis of which shows where a woman finally loved and married a man whom she had years before sworn to kill. The schemes are laid in Paris, and the stage settings are on an elaborate scale seldom attempted in a two-reel production. It will undoubtedly prove one of the features of the week, along with "The Pipes of Pan."

Coming second, but none the less a great feature, is that two-reel Mutual dramatic production, "The Winning of Denise," in two full reels, in which are featured Leona Hutton and Keenan. This is mammoth and costly production that cannot be described in mere words.

Then there's a rousing comedy number, a Sterling brand, in which the inimitable Ford Sterling plays the leading role as only Ford can do it.

Again Mary Pickford Grand Today.

The handsome, popular Grand scored heavily again yesterday with a Paramount offering, and such a Paramount—Mary Pickford and Carlyle Blackwell presented in Channing Pollock's great dramatic success, "Such a Little Queen." In spite of the dismalness of the weather the Grand did a rushing business, because folks just couldn't resist such a great combination. Besides the Grand is just the cozy spot to seek on dreary days. It is ever cheery and bright. Those who missed the presentation yesterday missed the finest screen production ever given in Wilmington. It seems as if Mr. Daniel Frohman, who makes the production, must have thrown his very heart, as well as money and army of workers, into the making of the film, because it is magnificent. No other word can describe it. The acting of clever Mary Pickford is superb and excited the admiration of every one yesterday. The play itself needs no description at this time. It is too well known as one of New York's greatest triumphs. Fortunately for those who missed it yesterday they can behold the film today, because it will be offered by the Grand again today, with performances commencing at 11 o'clock this morning and continuing until 11 o'clock tonight. Every amusement lover should see this wonderful, brilliant Paramount.

"The Idle Rich."

This is the title of today's mammoth three-reel offering at the Orton Confectionery. It is a big Warner Feature release, featuring Valentine Grant, the great dramatic star, and is a gripping picture replete with thrills and soul-stirring human interest situations. It is one of the most elaborately staged pictures seen, and contains some very startling dramatic situations, for instance, a flying leap from one out to another, a thrilling struggle between the hero and the villain, and the final rescue of the kidnapped heiress.

It has been termed "the picture with a conscience" and well so, for it is a picture which is wholesome and satisfying throughout. The show is continuous every day from two until eleven P. M. and is absolutely free to all.

Victoria's Show Phenomenal.

The Victoria promised the folks of Wilmington something swell in its new show, which opened yesterday, and it more than made good the promise. The new show is not only swell, but at stages it is phenomenal, because it offers the famed "Esau," the Chimpanzee that is almost human. This is one of the swellest and cleverest acts of all and proved the same sensation with the Victoria audiences as it has done with the people of the great cities. Of course, it was the headline act of the new show, but there are other big acts, and dont you forget it. "Esau" is a marvel. He makes his first appearance on skates and scoots around the stage in skilful manner. He eats drinks, dances and does everything else that a human being can do, and does many things much better. He also rides a bike in most skilled way. There is a Chimpanzee assistant, also does some exceptional tricks. "Esau" is a big card and every child, as well as grown-up should behold him. Walter Ward and Partner are also some big stars, presenting a trick bicycle act that is elaborate and splendid.

Another notable is Si Bachelor, the Rube musician, and he is another big hit. Not only is he a fine performer, but he is extra fine as a comedian. Yet another superb act, provided by Olga and Sidney, who present artistic dances that are different from all others.

A. & M. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Organization Perfected at Meeting Held Last Evening—Banquet at the Next Meeting.

With the election of Mr. H. E. Bonitz as president, and "Dutch" Seifert, former football and baseball star, as secretary and treasurer, the Wilmington Alumni Association of A. & M. College was organized at a meeting held last evening in the offices of Mr. J. L. Becton in the Odd Fellows' Building, well attended by the local alumni of the well known educational institution.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one and the news of the victory of the A. & M. football team over the University of West Virginia eleven at Raleigh yesterday was joyfully received by those present.

The objects and aims of the local alumni association are to encourage closer relations between former students and graduates and the college; to encourage and foster clean sport and to always bear in mind the rendering of whatever assistance possible to young graduates.

A committee composed of Messrs. E. P. Bailey, J. L. Becton and C. W. Owens was appointed to arrange for a banquet on the occasion of the next meeting of the organization, the date to be decided upon later, to which will be invited not only all the graduates of the college in this city, but all former students residing here as well, all of whom will be invited to become members of the organization.

Those attending the meeting last evening were Messrs. W. H. Banck, E. P. Bailey, J. L. Becton, H. E. Bonitz, Frank Hawks, H. Allen Huggins, Geo. Lynch, Lewis Merritt, C. W. Owens, E. W. Gillette, W. L. Jewell, F. W. Banitz and E. W. Seifert.

All graduates and former students of A. & M. College now in Wilmington who are interested in the college and would care to become members of the local association and to aid the organization in the work that it plans to do, are asked to send their names and addresses to Mr. E. W. Seifert, care the Y. M. C. A., in order that he may inform them as to the date of the banquet that it is planned to give in the near future.

BRAVES WIN AGAIN AT BOYS' BRIGADE

Downed Naps Last Evening — Giants Defeated the Cardinals.

Those who went to the Boys' Brigade last night to witness some real sport were well satisfied with the result, as the two games played were of the glit edged order, with the exception of a large number of fouls, of which each team was equally guilty. These were caused through the tightening up on the part of the referee, who was especially stringent in the enforcement of the rules. This caused the stoppage of the games frequently, but the result was that the games were played clean and faster than usual and allowed better team work and more open and less rough play.

The session was opened by the Naps and Braves, and there was fifteen minutes of pretty playing, every man working fast and clean.

The Braves managed to secure six field goals and five foul goals, and the Naps three field goals and five foul goals in this half, which placed the score for the half at 17 to 11 in favor of the Braves.

Eight fouls were called against the Naps and twelve against the Braves in this half. In the second half the Naps secured six field goals and two foul goals, and the Braves four field goals and seven foul goals, which made the score 15 to 14 in favor of the Braves, who won both halves and the game by the score of 32 to 26.

Summary: Field goals—Montgomery, 1; Ellis, 4; Bornemann, 2; Branch, 2; H. Register, 2; M. Register, 3; H. Gerdes, 4; C. Gerdes, 1. Foul Goals—Branch, 7; H. Register, 12.

The second game was between the Giants and Cardinals. This game was featured by the large number of field goals thrown by the Giants. They went into the game with the determination of reducing their usual number of fouls and while they did not succeed much in this particular, the nature of the fouls was not of the usual rough stuff of which they have been guilty in the past. The result was that the game was clean throughout, the Cardinals being penalized also. Neither team did much in the scoring from field in the first half the Giants, securing but three and the Cardinals one. The Giants secured seven points from foul line while their opponents secured but six, which made the score for this half 13 to 8 in favor of the Giants. However when the second half opened the Giants seemed to take a brace and by fast play and some spectacular goal shooting soon had their oppenents on the run indeed and before the half had ended they had secured no less than 12 field goals and three foul goals, for a total of 28 points while the best the Cardinals could do was to secure five field goals and one foul goal for a total of 11 points, the Giants winning by score of 41 to 19. For the Giants C. W. Davis starred with 8 field goals and for the Cardinals Fick secured 10 of their 19 points. Every man on both teams played good ball, however.

Summary: Feild goals: Davis, C. W., 8; Burnett, C., 1. McCartney 4; Davis, C. C., 1; Gallagher, 1; Fick, 4; Jewell 1; Smith 1; Foul Goals: Davis C. W., 5; Gallagher 1; Fick 2; Kure 5. Fouls committed Giants 25; Cardinals 14. Rerefee, Chas. Dushan, Scorer, W. Boykin, Assistant Scorer, E. J. Irving and F. Litgen. Timer H. Dixon. Time of halves 15 minutes.

HEAVIEST COTTON RECEIPTS

Highwater Mark for Present Season Reached Yesterday With 1,584 Bales—Navel Stores.

Yesterday's cotton receipts at the port of Wilmington, 1,584 bales, were the heaviest of the season, exceeding the figures for any other day this season by more than 200 bales, and being nearly double the receipts of any previous day with the expection of two. The heaviest receipts for any previous day this season totalled about 1,300 bales. Total receipts for the season are 22,403 bales.

The market here showed an advance yesterday, ruling steady at 6 5-8 as against 6 1-2, the market for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. All the principal cotton ports quoted 6 5-8 yesterday, with the exception of Norfolk, the market there being 6 3-4.

Houston and St. Louis also quoted 6 5-8, the other interior points quoting from 6 1-4 to 6 3-4.

There were no exports from Wilmington yesterday, and the total exports for the day from this country were only 4,426 bales. Wilmington's stock is now 19,238.

The naval stores market went to pieces yesterday. Spirits, quoted at 45 Wednesday, dropped abruptly to 41 1-2, the most marked decline in the market for some time. Rosin dropped from $3.50 to $3.15. Tar and crude turpentine, however, were not affected, and remained at the previous day's figures.

THE BICKETT APPOINTMENT.

Regretted That Attorney General Could Not Speak Here Last Night.

After reaching the city yesterday morning and going to Southport, Attorney General Bickett found it impossible to change the plans for his speaking there and return to the city last night for an address in the Court House here as he had expected. The appointment for Mr. Bickett at Southport was for the night, and the event had been widely advertised and without seriously interfering with the Southport committee's plans, the hour for the speaking could not be changed.

New Hanover people readily acquiesced in adherence to the original plans of the speaker, knowing that he was in debatable territory and his speech would doubtless do more good in Brunswick than in rock-ribbed Democratic New Hanover. Mr. Bickett expressed great regret at not being able to fill his appointment here. He expected to reach the city last night by boat and will leave on the early train today for Whiteville, where with Jos. W. Little, Esq., chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover county, he will speak today. Saturday Mr. Bickett will speak at Burgaw, having a long list of appointments through this section of the State where he is eminently popular.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Col. W. B. Fort, of Pikeville, was here yesterday, stopping at the Orton.

—Mr. G. E. Norman, of Charlotte, was here yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bridgers, of Dillon, S. C., were among the recent guests at the Orton.

—Mrs. B. P. Renfrow and Miss Amoret Renfrow, of Fair Bluff, were in the city yesterday, guests at the Orton.

—Mr. James Sinclair, ex-mayor of Waycross, Ga., and 33rd degree baseball fan, is in the city to spend a few days.

—Mr. Julius Stanland leaves this morning for Richmond, Va., where he will take a position with the Richmond Taxicab Company.

—Mr. J. H. Williams, of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, is here from Wilson, N. C., with the committee of adjustment from that organization.

—Mr. F. S. Shepard left yesterday morning for Raleigh to join Sheriff Cowan's party at the State Fair and will return with them in the sheriff's automobile.

—Among yesterday's guests at the Orton were S. M. Jones, Chester; F. W. Donnelly, N. Fairbrother, Augusta, Ga.; W. J. Smith, Elizabethtown, and Liston L. Mallard, Kenansville, N. C.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Deputy Sheriff Kermon leaves this morning for Goldsboro to take John Couton, colored, declared insane at a hearing a few days ago, to the colored asylum for the insane there.

—Towing the barge Flora with cargo of lumber for transhipment here to New York, the tug Atlantic City reached port yesterday. The lumber is from the large mill at Little River, S. C.

—Only one case was tried in the Recorder's court yesterday. George Rogers was given a hearing on a charge of violating a city ordinance. Judgment was left open until tomorrow.

—By deed filed for record yesterday the Southeastern Realty Company transfers to G. L. Tillery and wife, for $1,000 and other considerations, a lot on the west line of 13th, 55 feet south of Chesnut street, 55x122 feet in size.

To Raleigh in Saxon.

Leaving here yesterday morning at 5 o'clock, Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., accompanied by his son, Louis, made a very successful cross-country run to the State Fair in Raleigh in one of the trim little automobiles, the Saxon. Mr. MacMillan, despite condition of the roads and the rain that fell during the day, made the entire 150 miles in a few minutes more than seven hours. Mr. W. M. Bellamy also went to the Fair yesterday in his Oakland car, reaching there soon after Mr. MacMillan's arrival.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

CONDITIONS ARE THE SAME

No New Developments in the Plan to Have Early Opening of the Cotton Exchange—Work Complete.

New York, Oct. 22.—No fresh developments in the plans for reopening the cotton exchange were reported here today. It is understood the so-called syndicate committee has practically completed the canvass of the trade on the subject of taking over old commitments from the contemplated corporation at 7½ cents a pound for December. Local traders believe when the market does reopen it will be free from all entanglements.

More favorable reports from the $150,000,000 pool for financing surplus cotton were circulating during the day, but advices from the South suggested a more or less unsettled spot situation. Some of the eastern belt markets were lower and cotton is evidently coming on the markets daily under present favorable weather conditions for picking and ginning.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 3,977; sales, 895; stock, 84,985.

Galveston — Middling, 6¾; receipts, 15,335; sales, 850; stock, 199,661.

Mobile—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 535; sales, 26; stock, 22,761.

Savannah—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 6,196; sales, 1,578; stock, 93,517.

Charleston—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 345; stock, 42,730.

Wilmington—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 1,584; stock, 19,238.

Norfolk—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 1,416; sales, 317; stock, 23,589.

Boston—Receipts, 100; exports, 88; stock, 2,600.

Philadelphia—Stock, 4,183.

New York—Exports, 1,238; stock, 65,678.

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Minor Ports—Stock, 26,150.

Total today—Receipts, 32,618; exports, 4,326; stock, 596,092.

Total for week—Receipts, 204,236; exports, 57,709.

Total for season—Receipts, 1,019,893; exports, 372,988.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 11,271; shipments, 13,138; sales, 4,163; stock, 94,296.

Memphis—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 7,482; shipments, 4,059; sales, 2,600; stock, 121,416.

Augusta—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 3,701; shipments, 1,160; sales, 1,732; stock, 94,971.

St. Louis—Middling, 6¾; receipts, 3,067; shipments, 2,650; stock, 16,331.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 1,441; shipments, 1,196; stock, 36,261.

Little Rock—Middling, 6 ; receipts, 2,138; shipments, 222; stock, 21,724.

Total today—Receipts, 29,100; shipments, 22,475; stock, 352,359.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 22.—Refined cotton oil sold under 5 cents today for the first time since 1909. The pronounced weakness was the result of pressure from crude sources. On the break shorts covered freely and there was some new buying for western account, inspired by the strength in lard. Final prices were 2 to 6 points up from the lowest, but 8 to 17 points lower than last night. Sales, 18,000 barrels.

The market closed firm. Spot, 4.93 to 4.99; October, 4.90 to 4.95; November, 4.90 to 4.93; December, 4.97 to 4.98; January, 5.08 to 5.09; February, 5.13 to 5.15; March, 5.30 to 5.31; April, 5.38 to 5.40; May, 5.54 to 5.56.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 22. — Cotton goods were quiet and yarns were dull today. Much of the snap was reported missing in wool products. Silks were easier.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Oct. 22. — Hogs—Strong. Bulk, 7.15 to 7.50; light, 6.90 to 7.55; mixed, 6.95 to 7.65; heavy, 6.95 to 7.65; rough, 6.95 to 7.10; pigs, 4.25 to 7.00.

Cattle—Weak. Beeves, 6.15 to 10.85; steers, 5.75 to 8.75; stockers, 4.90 to 7.80; cows and heifers, 3.20 to 8.70, calves, 7.00 to 11.00.

Sheep—Firm. Sheep, 4.90 to 6.05; yearlings, 5.60 to 6.50; lambs, 6.10 to 7.85.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 22.—Mercantile paper, 6 to 6½; sterling exchange, steady; 60-day bills, 4.9150; for cables, 4.9560; for demand, 4.9500. Bar silver, 50.

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 22.—Turpentine, nominal, 45½; no sales. Receipts, 518; shipments, none; stocks, 27,817.

Rosin—Nominal; no sales. Receipts, 1,875; shipments, none; stocks, 111,390. Quote: A, B, C, D, 3.52½; E, F, G, H, I, 3.55; K, 4.15; M, 4.50; N, 6.00; W G, 6.25; W W, 6.35.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 22.—Raw sugar, easy. Molasses sugar, 3.61; centrifugal, 4.26; refined, quiet.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Steady.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Oct. 22.—Cotton, spot in moderate demand; prices unchanged; sales, 4,400 bales, including 2,000 American on the basis of 5.05d, for middling. Imports, 24,732 bales, including 19,979 American.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

More Steadiness Displayed During the Trading Yesterday.

New Orleans, Oct. 22.—More steadiness was displayed by cotton today. Prices of both spots and futures remained unchanged at yesterday's levels, January trading at 7 cents and middling being quoted at 6¾. The halt in the decline in the Dallas market had a steadying effect on local prices.

Weather conditions were favorable and were considered a bearish feature but were offset by the lighter movement in Texas. Spot traders reported little new inquiry. Spots, quiet; sales, 50 bales; to arrive, 800.

WHEAT CLOSED UNSETTLED

Influenced by Lull in Export Demand, Market Felt Change in Tone—The Prices are Down a Little.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—Wheat was influenced today by a lull in export, and closed unsettled, ⅝ to ⅞ under last night's close.

Corn finished ¼ to ⅝ off to ¼ up. Oats, ⅜ down, and provisions at an advance of 5 to 25 cents.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—Dec., 1.15⅝; May, 1.21¼.
Corn—Dec., 69¼; May, 71⅛.
Oats—Dec., 50⅝; May, 53¼.
Pork—Jan., 18.95; May, 19.30.
Lard—Nov., 10.45; Jan., 9.92.
Ribs—Oct., 10.80; Jan., 9.85.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.13½ to 1.15¼.
Corn—No. 2, yellow, 75½ to 75¾.
Oats—Standard, 49¼ to 50.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Navahoe, Packer, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Falls City (Br.), 2,917 tons, Eastwood, Heide & Co.

Str. Strathlorne (Br.), 2,803 tons, Stanhope, Heide & Co., agents.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 2,289 tons, Hollasch, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger) 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Alice L. Pendleton, 567 tons, Marshall, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Barges.

Standard Oil Barge No. 80, Standard Oil Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, at 41¼.

ROSIN—Steady. Large, $3.15; small, $3.00.

TAR—Firm, $2.25 per barrel; per gallon, 10c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $3.25 per barrel for soft; $3.25 per barrel for virgin; $2.25 per barrel for hard.

Quotations same day last year — Spirits turpentine, steady, 40¼; rosin, firm, $.30; tar, firm, $.20-10½; crude, firm, 3.25; 3.25; 2.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine 3
Rosin ... ...(—)
Tar 18
Crude Turpentine ... ...(—)

Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 9 casks; rosin, 6 barrels; tar, 6 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, middling, steady, 6¾; last year, 13⅛.

Receipts, 1,584 bales; same day last year, 5,547 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 22,403 bales.

Total receipts to same day last year, 146,307 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Oct. 22, 1914.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,147 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—423 bales cotton.

Clyde Line—14 bales cotton.

Total — 1,584 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels tar.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., October 16.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker; old stock, fancy hand-picked, 65c. per bu.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bu.

Virginias—New crop, Jumbo, 70c. per bu.; fancy hand-picked, 65c. per bu.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bu.

Spanish—New crop; Small Spanish, 70c. per bu.; Jumbo Spanish, 65c. per bu.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 17.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, $1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 75c. per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7 to 8c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.

SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head; very dull; no sale.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 30@31c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 17@19c. lb.; dull.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 22c.; good demand; sides and shoulders, 16c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28@29c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 15c@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—24@26c. per doz.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEEDS.

(Wholesale Price Quotations of Tuesday by Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

Flour—Fancy Patent, $6.00 to $6.25 (car lots).

Corn—Domestic, $1.00; Imported, 95c.

Meal—96 lb. bag, $1.95 to $2.00.

Oats—Mixed, 60c; white, 65c. bu.

Hay—No. 1, Timothy, $24.00; No. 1, Mixed; $23.00 ton.

Middlings—$30.00 to $31.00.

D. S. Sides—From 13¼ to 14c.

Plates—from 11¾ to 12.

Lard—From 8 to 8¼, according to quality.

Coffee—From 9 to 12c.

Rice—Broken, 4¼ to 4½c; Japan, 5 to 5¼c; Fancy Head, 5¾ to 6¾c.

Sugar—Granulated basis, 5¾ to 7c; lower grades, usual difference.

Molasses — Black strap, 15c; mixed, 28c; Fancy Porto Rico, 40c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 28.—Spanish—Market, quiet. Spanish, 80c. per bushel for Farmers' stock.

Virginias—Market quiet. Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand Picked, 3¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3¾c. per lb.

MONEY RATES ARE RELAXED

Numerous Over-Year Loans Negotiated at Six Per Cent in New York Yesterday.

New York, Oct. 22.—Further relaxation in money rates today with numerous over-year loans negotiated at 6 per cent testified to the increasing supply of cash here. Some 60 day loans were reported at a shade under 6 per cent, while call money also manifested an easier trend. All these contracts were secured by high class collateral. Savings banks and other institutions, including the prominent insurance companies, are said to be lending more freely, which Wall Street accepts as additional proof of increasing confidence. In Stock Exchange circles, however, sentiment remains pessimistic. The sale of an exchange membership at $34,000, the lowest price in many years, measures the death of the depression in that quarter.

The foreign exchange market was a perfunctory affair with rates in London virtually unchanged from yesterday's average level.

In the investment field, brokers found more activity in various short-term issues and high grade bonds, the new city notes being in fair demand at previous high prices. Dealings in some of the active stocks listed on the exchange were made at further concessions. These transactions indicated extreme necessity on the part of the sellers. The unofficial market in which the sales were made still is looked at as unsteady.

Southern banks, which already have large debits here, were negotiating for renewals of loans today, and in the main these were granted. This factor, however, is likely to play an important part in the outcome of the cotton plan. Exports of cotton fell off pronouncedly today, but this was mainly due to lack of vessels.

TOBACCO SALES HEAVY ON THE KINSTON MARKET

Lenoir County Planters Have Money Despite European War

(Special Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 20—If the conditions were the same as in the olden days of Virginia, when men purchased their wives in England and paid for them with tobacco, and the same rate of exchange existing Lenoir county planters today could increase the population by 6,000 or 7,000 buxom lassies. Yesterday's tobacco sales here broke all records in the 18 or 19 years of the market's history. The story of the sales cannot be accurately told today, for so immense were they that the official figures are not yet available; the board of trade has not finished the compilation. It is certain that three-quarters of a million pounds exchanged hands.

The four warehouses were so many veritable El Doradoes, with many piles of golden stuff heaped up and a considerable quantity remaining unsold because, although Kinston in anticipation of a banner season had increased its warehouse space by a third, it could not all be gotten inside. Old King James, who forbade the culture oftobacco in England, asserting in a proclamation that he did not intend to have the "soil of that fruitful kingdom so abused and misemployed", would have been surprised could he have seen the many tons of bright leaf sold here Monday, and he would have been convinced that in spite of his objection the world has taken generously to its use; in fact, the quantity handled on this market yesterday was several times in excess of the whole world's consumption during the year when His Majesty so emphatically put his foot down upon it. Incidentally, the "breaks" on this single day were twenty times as great as the total production in Lenior county in the year 1885, less than 30 years ago.

A precedent was made yesterday. Customarily Monday is the dullest day of the week on the tobacco market, but the record-breaking sales besides proving an exception to the rule piled up to 247,000 pounds more than have been sold on any day this season, and more than 150,000 pounds more than have ever been sold here on a single day. The piles were of the finest quality, and prices were maintained at the season's average, which is already steady enough to insure a banner year in spite of the European war. Pretty much all of the tobacco will go over sea to the countries where the east Carolina bright leaf, excelling the product of all the rest of the United States, as well as Egypt, Asia and the East Indies, has supplanted the darker grades for smoking.

Half a dozen counties contributed to the tremendous sales, and much of the tobacco was brought 40 or 50 miles over country roads in wagons.

NOVEL SUIT STARTED IN GUILFORD SUPERIOR COURT

Woman Asks $10,000 Damages for Fall on Sidewalk—Y. M. C. A. Campaign.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, Oct., 19.—The trial of a novel case in which Mrs. Virginia Phillips is plaintiff and Assistant Postmaster S. A. Hodgin and his wife are defendants, was commenced in Guilford Superior Court this morning. The plaintiff asks for $10,000 as damages for in juries occasioned when she fell on a sidewalk in front of the defendant's property in the suburbs of Greensboro.

The defendants had provided a walkway in front of their property and had put on it a quantity of "cinders and clinkers." Plaintiffs allege that these were unusually large and that in passing over the sidewalk at night she was thrown by stepping on a large clinker. Her hip was dislocated, her leg broken in two places, and she was occasioned much suffering and caused to spend several hundred dollars for nurses and physicians. Messrs. Brooks, Sapp and Williams appear for the plaintiff, and Messrs. King & Kimball and R. D. Douglas represent the defendants. The case will go to the jury some time tomorrow.

A membership campaign of the Young Men's Christian Association opened tonight with a largely attended banquet at the association building. Speeches were made by a largely attended banquet at the association building. Speeches were made by a large number of the captains and workers. The campaign will last five days and is under the direction of Mr. E. J. Hochenbury, a campaign expert. There are three divisions, twelve teams and 144 men engaged in the campaign. President A. B. High is general chairman.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 23, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 59 degrees; at 8 P. M., 61 degrees; maximum, 65 degrees; minimum, 53 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .06; rainfall for the month to date, 2.14 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 3.4 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Friday in interior; rain near coast; partly cloudy Saturday.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 23, 1914.

Sun rises ... ... 6:24 A. M.
Sun sets ... ...5:29 P. M.
Day's length ... ...11 hrs. 5 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington. .	.12:11	1:03	7:38	8:28
Southport . .	.10;52	11:18	4:33	5:33
Masonboro Inl .	.10:41	11:07	4:13	5:13

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

October 22, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene . .	cloudy	72	60	.0
Asheville. .	cldy	72	48	.0
Atlanta . .	clear	74	58	.0
Augusta . .	clear	76	52	.0
Birmingh. .	clear	78	58	.0
Boston . . .	clear	70	62	.0
Charleston .	rain	76	62	.04
Charlotte. .	cldy	70	52	.0
Chicago . .	clear	66	62	.0
Galveston.	pt cldy	76	72	.76
Jacksonv. .	clear	78	64	.0
Memphis. . .	clear	80	60	.0
Mobile . . .	clear	82	62	.0
Montgom'y .	clear	74	56	.0
New Orl. .	clear	80	66	.0
New York .	clear	72	62	.0
Oklahoma. .	rain	74	62	.64
Palestine .	cloudy	74	68	.08
Pittsburg. .	clear	76	50	.0
Raleigh. . .	cldy	70	52	.0
Savannah. .	clear	78	58	.0
Shreveport .	cldy	80	62	.0
St. Louis. .	clear	76	60	.0
Washing'n .	clear	78	50	.0

GLENN AT KENANSVILLE.

To Speak at Democratic Rally and Barbecue Next Tuesday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kenansville, N. C., Oct. 22.—Mr. H. D. Williams, chairman of the Democratic executive committee of Duplin county, announces a Democratic rally and barbecue here next Tuesday, October 27th. The feature of the occasion will be an address by ex-Governor Robert B. Glenn at 11 o'clock. A big free barbecue dinner will be served immediately after the speaking. Chairman Williams says, "We want at least 3,000 voters of the county to hear Governor Glenn, our old time friend and campaigner. Let everybody come and make it a great day for old Duplin. Dinner for all."

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On sale October 26 to 30, inclusive. Limited, returning, October 31.

RICHMOND, VA. $10.70
On sale November 6, 7, 8; limited, returning, November 22nd.

ATLANTA, GA. $13.85
On sale November 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, limited returning November 22.

SAVANNAH, GA. $10.80
On sale November 7, 8, 9 and 10, limited returning November 20.

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W. J. CRAIG, Pass. Traf. Mgr. T. C. WHITE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

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NEW ORLEANS, LA. $35.00
On sale October 17 and 18, limited returning, October 31.

On sale October 24, 25 and 26; limited, returning, November 15th.

CHICAGO, ILL. $41.70
On sale October 24, 25 and 26; limited, returning, November 4th.

ATLANTA, GA. $13.85
On sale November 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12; limited, returning, November 23.

CHARLOTTE, N. C. $6.40
On sale Oct. 25 to 30th; limited, returning, November 1st.

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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 am.	10:50 p.m.
Lv. Durham	1:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:40 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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Steamship Navahoe, Monday, Oct. 5th

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 12, 1914.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND

Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach
.....	.....	.....
a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.
.....	.....	.....
6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....
8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.
.....	.....	.....
10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.
c1:55 P. M.	c1:55 P. M.	.....
d2:35 P. M.	.....	.....
3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	.....	.....
4:10 P. M.	.....	.....
4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....
5:30 P. M.	5:30 P. M.	.....
6:10 P. M.	6:10 P. M.	.....
6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.
7:15 P. M.	7:15 P. M.	.....
8:15 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	.....
9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:15 P. M.	10:15 P. M.	.....
11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.

WESTBOUND

Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave for for Wilmington
a6:26 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a7:36 A. M.	a7:26 A. M.	.....
b7:56 A. M.	b7:46 A. M.	b7:35 A. M.
a8:01 A. M.	a7:50 A. M.	a7:40 A. M.
a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	.....
9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
b10:31A.M.	b10:20 A. M.	.....
11:06 A. M.	11:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
2:01 P. M.	1:50 P. M.	e1:45 P. M.
c2:36 P. M.	c2:25 P. M.	.....
c3:06P.M.	.....	.....
c3:50 P. M.	.....	.....
4:06 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
c4:30 P. M.	.....	.....
c5:10 P. M.	.....	.....
5:36 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
6:11 P. M.	6:00 P. M.	.....
6:51 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	.....
7:41 P. M.	7:30 P. M.	7:20 P. M.
8:06 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	.....
8:56 P. M.	8:45 P. M.	.....
10:21 P. M.	10:10 P. M.	10:00 P. M.
10:56 P. M.	10:45 P. M.	.....
12:21 A. M.	12:10 A. M.	12:00 M.

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(Daily, except Sundays.)

Leave Ninth and Orange streets, 3:30 P. M.
Freight Depot open from 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 20, 1914. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. ‡ 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 90 leaves Norfolk 7:40 P. M. and Richmond 12:40 P. M.	No. 91. a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51. * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ‡ 6:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ‡ 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. * 2:30 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 57. ‡ 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate stations.	No. 58. ‡ 8:15 A.M.
No. 55. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 59. ‡ 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. ‡10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:40 A.M.

* Daily ‡ Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday. ‡ Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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LARGE ORDERS GOING A-BEGGING IN EUROPE

American Manufacturers Display Lack of Enterprise

British, French and Russian Governments Calling Wildly for Supplies of All Kinds and no American Bidders.

London, Oct. 22.—The failure of American manufacturers to take advantage of the war situation has already caused them the loss of large orders. The other week the war department searched London for agents of American mills to supply a half million pairs of blankets to Lord Kitchener's new army. No agents were found and the orders went to British mills, which were unable to give guarantees as to when the orders would be fulfilled.

Not only the British government, but also the French and Russian are now calling wildly for supplies of all kinds, camp equipment and acoutrements. But the Americans, by what is considered here a surprising lack of enterprise, have not been on hand. It is not a question of seeking business, but of having it thrust at them.

There is likely to be a continous demand for blankets, olive drab uniform cloth which is now manufactured for the American army, canvass, cooking utensils, army shoes and materials which the United States has never heretofore exported to England.

General trade opportunities are also offered to America, since England, Germany and France have largely supplied Spain and Italy and the lesser countries of Europe, to say nothing of the trade with Africa, the Orient and South America.

ATTENDANCE AT STATE FAIR LARGER THAN IN 1913

Cash Receipts Large First Day—Wednesday Crowd Bigger.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 21.—Out at the State Fair this morning the work of judging the exhibitions in the many and varied departments of the great fair began and is being pushed as rapidly as possible, with blue ribbons and other evidences of awards coming more and more in evidence. In numbers of the departments, especially agriculture, horticulture and in domestice science, including canning and cooking generally, the exhibits are by odds superior to those of any previous State fair.

The crowds today were quite large for the second day, exceeding considerably the attendance of Wednesday of last year's fair. It is notable that the cash receipts of the fair Tuesday were just $4 more than for the same day of the fair last year. The weather conditions are developing nicely and could scarcely be improved on in any respect.

NO DANGER OF DIPHTHERIA

Report of Epidemic at Chadbourn Mostly False Alarm—The Fire.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Oct. 21.—It is learned here on good authority that the reports issuing from various sources over the county with reference to the diptheria epidemic at Chadbourn have been mostly false alarms, and save one or two cases of diptheria and a like number of sore throat there is no cause for uneasiness. Superintendent of Schools F. T. Wooten stated to your correspondent last night that there was no danger of the school being closed on account of the disease, and under no circumstances will the County Fair be called off.

The committee in charge of the programme for the fair hope to have Senator Smith, of South Carolina, present to deliver the principal address on Friday, October 30th, and although he has not made a final answer, it is likely that he will accept.

NEWSPAPER MEN REMEMBERED.

All Who Attend Newbern Fair Will be Taken Care of.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Oct. 20.—The management of the Eastern Carolina Fair have made special arrangements to take care of every newspaper man in the State who attends the fair which will be held here next week and the quill pushers will in fact be the guests of the association all during the week.

A large number of complimentary tickets have been sent to the editors in all parts of the State and those who do not receive passes have only to make themselves known upon arrival in the city and their needs will be attended to. Letters received from a number of the newspaper men indicate that they will be on hand one or more days during the week and arrangements are being made to see that they have a good time while in the city.

LORIMER AGAIN INDICTED.

State Courts Take Action on Embezzlement Charges.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—William Lorimer, once a United States Senator and recently president of the LaSalle Street Trust and Savings Bank, four other bank officials, and John K. Seagraves, chief clerk in the office of the State auditor, were indicted here in State court today on charges of conspiracy, embezzlement and larceny, in connection with the closing of the bank.

The other defendants were: C. B. Munday, vice-president of the bank; H. W. Huttig, director; Thos. McDonald, cashier, and Charles G. Fox, vice-president.

The LaSalle Street Bank and Trust Company was closed by the State bank examiner June 12.

Lorimer previously had been indicted in the Federal court.

IN WARSAW, RUSSIA.

Is Kinston Man's Mother and he Can't Hear From Her.

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 22.—Morris Bloom, a shoemaker of 107 West Gordon street, has not heard from his aged mother, who is in Warsaw, Russia, since the war began, and is anxious about her safety. Even now the Germans in Russian Poland have penetrated almost to within sight of the ancient city's minarets. Bloom's mother, whom he has not seen for many years, wrote regularly until after the commencement of hostilities.

THE UNIVERSITY ADOPTS SYSTEM OF LARGER SCHOOLS

Major and Minor Studies for Juniors And Seniors.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Cahpel Hill, N. C., Oct. 21.—At a recent meeting of the faculty it was decided that the University of North Carolina should adopt the system of major and minor studies for students in their last two years that is so rapidly gaining ground in all the large Universities of today. This change applies only to courses leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts and will go into effect with the present Sophomore Class. This system of major and minor studies allows much more concentration along any one subject than was provided for before and will be benefical in that it will allow students to learn much more about one particular subject instead of wasting their energy on a half score of different studies and not getting anything out of any of them.

The main changes are: to make it compulsory for the student to select some special department in which to concentrate in his Junior and Senior years after due consultation with the head of that department, and to make students select a minor course which he must also continue in his Senior year and which is also subject to the advice of the head of the department which he selects as his major course. Of his major subject he must take as much as six and not more than nine hours work each year, and of his minor course he must take at least one hour each year. The rest of his course he may select for himself after consultation with the head of the department of his major study. The student must hand in the subject in which he wishes to specialize by May 15 of his Sophomore year.

IS WILCON COUNTY SHERIFF CHAMPION OF THE STATE?

Let County With Better Record of Tax Collections Speak.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 21.—Sheriff Howard M. Rowe, of Wilson county, is certainly entitled to go up head. The total tax of the county amounted to $143,436.69 and Sheriff Rowe collected all except $629.69 and this was declared insolvent. This record is better than 9 1-2 per cent collected and if there is a better record in North Carolina, Wilson county would like to hear of it. State Treasurer complimented Sheriff Rowe both on his promptness in settlement and on account of the small amount of insolvents in the county.

Two colored cotton pickers of Taylors Township stand at the head of pickers. Charles Boykin picked 351 pounds in one day and his wife, Lucy Boykin was a close second with 325 pounds at the end of the day.

With the circus in town today the tobacco warehousemen are enjoying a chance to breathe. The floors are full for Thursday's sales. Fully 1,000,000 pounds are in town waiting the opening of the sale. This has been a heavy week and notwithstanding the tremendous receipts the price is steadily climbing. One of the tobacco men from a neighboring town was in Wilson Tuesday and stated that the market was better here, the prices higher than in other Eastern Carolina towns.

FEDERAL COURT CONVENES AT NEWBERN NEXT TUESDAY

Interesting Case is That of George Henderson, of Onslow.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Oct. 22.—The fall term of Federal court for the Newbern district will convene in this city next Tuesday morning with Judge Henry G. Connor, of Wilson, presiding. One of the most interesting cases on the docket will be that of the United States vs. George Henderson, a young white man from Onslow county, who is charged with using the mail for fraudulent purposes.

The specific charge against Henderson is that he sent out to various parts of the country worthless checks for which he received goods. In the majority of cases it is claimed that the defendant sent these checks to whiskey houses. This is not the first time that Henderson has been up before the court on this identical charge and he has even served a term in the Federal prison. The general opinion is that the young man is not of sound mind. Another case of particular interest is that in which the Norfolk Southern Railway Company will answer to a charge of blocking traffic over the inland waterway canal. This case was continued over from the last term of court.

CAMPAIGN HITS MT. OLIVE.

Democratic Speakers Heard by Citizens of Lower Wayne.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mt. Olive, N. C., Oct. 21.—The Democratic candidates for the various county offices and the candidates for both branches of the Legislature addressed the voters here yesterday afternoon, this being one of the points along their itinerary of the county.

After short addresses by the county candidates and Hon. Fred R. Mintz, candidate for re-election to the House, Col. A. C. Davis, one of the leading members of the Goldsboro bar, spoke for M. H. Allen, also a candidate for the House, who was prevented by press of business from being present. Col. Davis' address, of some 40 minutes' duration, was the principal address of the occasion and was listened to with rapt attention, Col. Davis, in his usual eloquent manner, recounting with what splendid success the Democratic party had kept its pledges to the people, administering the affairs of the people in both state and nation in such a way that it had absolutely no apologies whatever to make. In closing his address he made a short explanation of the proposed amendments to the State Constitution and urged the voters to support them.

GONE TO CHARLOTTESVILLE

President Few and Prof. Brooks Attend Southern School Meeting

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Durham, N. C., Oct. 22.—President William P. Few and Professor E. C. Brooks, of Trinity College, have gone to Charlottesville, Virginia, where they will attend a meeting of the Association of Southern Preparatory Schools. Professor Brooks, along with Superintendent E. D. Massey, of Durham, and Professor N. W. Walker, of Chapel Hill, State Inspector of High Schools, are members of a very important committee on school classification which makes a report at the conference at Charlottesville.

After coming by Martinsville, Va., for Mrs. Few and the children, President Few returns to Durham. Professor Brooks, being further engaged in the work of the conference will not be able to return until about the middle of next week.

GARY DINNERS A CROWN TO THE STEEL INDUSTRY

Counsel for Steel Corporation Argues.

Lawyer in Defense Declares That Conferences Saved the Industry in Panic of 1907—Did Not Fool President Roosevelt.

Philadelphia, Oct. 22.—"The Gary dinners, to which 90 per cent of the iron and steel manufacturers of the country came to discuss the situation in the dark days of the panic of 1907, are a laurel and a crown in the history of the industry," said Richard V. Lindabury in his argument for the defense today in the Federal suit to dissolve the United States Steel Corporation.

Mr. Lindabury said that during the panic the iron and steel industry was becoming demoralized and E. H. Gary called together the manufacturers to exchange views and to prevent wide and sudden fluctuations in prices that would bring ruin to every one in the business. As a result of these gatherings, he said, the trade for the first time in the history of panics, came through without a single failure. No prices were fixed at these dinners, as alleged by the government, nor was territory allotted or outputs limited, said counsel.

Mr. Lindabury concluded his argument late today after speaking ten hours. He denied the earnings of the corporation were excessive. The concern always was fair to competitors, he said, never coerced dealers, did not solicit or receive rebates and did not countenance participation with independent manufacturers in pools of any kind.

The famous Tennessee Coal & Iron Company sale was touched upon by counsel, who denied that they "had acquired that property for any other purpose than to assist in preventing the spread of the 1907 panic. He denied the charge that directors of the steel corporation had deceived President Roosevelt as to the amount of Tennessee stock held by the New York banking firm, which was said to be in trouble during the panic and whose Tennessee stock finally was purchased by the steel interests. Arguments will be resumed tomorrow.

INCREASE IS DENIED BY COMMERCE COMMISSION.

Roads Wanted Increase on Knitting Mill Products from Raleigh West.

Washington, Oct. 22.—A proposed increase in freight rates on knitting factory products from approximately 180 points in North Carolina, in what is known as Raleigh territory, to Texarkana and nearby points, averaging about 30 cents a hundred pounds, today was denied by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"Without doubt," says the commission, "there must be some readjustment of rates to Texarkana and Shreveport from points in southeastern territory," and "while we shall require the proposed rates here involved to be cancelled, we do not deem it proper also to enter an order at this time for future maintenance of the present rates from Raleigh territory points."

The railroads are expected to so readjust their knitting factory product rates on a higher basis as to meet the conclusions of the commission.

IS RAW SUGAR BEING HELD FOR HIGHER PRICES?

Secretary Redfield Begins Investigation in Response to Resolution.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Secretary Redfield, in response to a Senate resolution, today began investigation of reports that immense quantities of raw sugar are being held in storage in New York and Philadelphia "in the expectation that Great Britain and France soon will be strong competitors for Cuban sugar and that the price of raw sugar will reach such a figure that the refined product in January and February may go to 15 cents a pound."

The resolution, submitted by Senator Thomas, maintained that such reported holding constituted a violation of the law.

SEABOARD DEFERS ACTION ON QUARTERLY DIVIDEND.

Directors in Session at Baltimore Take Action—Blame European War.

Baltimore, Oct. 22.—Directors of the Seaboard Air Line Railway at their meeting here today decided to defer action on the quarterly dividend on the preferred stock of the company.

S. Davies Warfield, chairman of the board, said this action was determined upon in view of the business conditions due to the European war, thus conserving the cash resources of the company."

CONGRATULATIONS FROM WILSON.

North Carolina Mountaineer Father of 25 Children and a Democrat.

Washington, Oct. 22.—President Wilson today congratulated J. E. Duckworth, a North Carolina mountaineer, on his record as the father of 25 children and for having voted the Democratic ticket for 65 years. Mr. Duckworth, who had never seen a President before, was introduced to Mr. Wilson by Senator Overman.

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FOR SALE AT GREAT SACRIFICE, furniture and household and kitchen utensils, all in first-class condition and at price that will move it. Apply No. 12, Cape Fear Apartments. oc 22-1t

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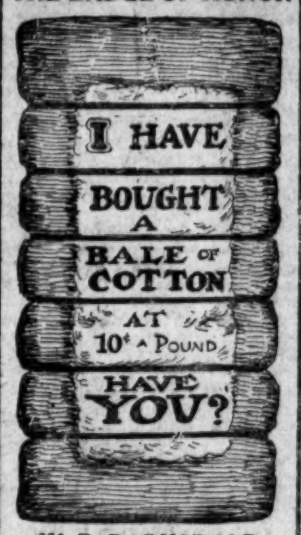

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State of North Carolina, New Hanover County. In the Superior Court, September Term, 1914.

Murchison National Bank vs. Independent Mfg. Co., et als.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, made and entered at the September Term, A. D. 1914, in a cause therein pending, wherein Murchison National Bank is plaintiff and Independent Mfg. Co., D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, N. H. Carter, W. H. Shearin, E. A. Hawes and Sam'l Blossom are defendants, the undersigned receiver duly appointed in said cause, will expose for sale by public auction for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door of the County of New Hanover, in the city of Wilmington, on Monday, the 16th day of November, A. D. 1914, at 12 o'clock M., all of the property, assets, and effects of the defendant Independent Mfg. Co., except the choses in action and accounts due said company and money on hand; also excepting all logs and manufactured products which may be on hand, among which said property is the following described real estate and personal property which may be seen and inspected at the plant of the company near Castle Haynes, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the western line of the right of way of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company's branch of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company near where the railroad track crosses the North East branch of the Cape Fear river, where said line of said right of way of said railroad intersects with the high water mark of said Cape Fear River, and runs thence in a southwardly direction with the said western line of the right of way of said railroad Two Hundred and Ninety-five (295) feet to a stake in said line; thence at right angles with said right of way of said railroad and in a westwardly direction to the run of a drain or branch below the mill, thence in a northwardly direction following the meanders of said branch to its mouth; thence in an eastwardly direction following the meanders of the said North East branch of the Cape Fear River, to the Beginning, containing 18 acres more or less; and also the saw mill now on said land and all the machinery, boilers, engines, dry kilns, pipes and all other appurtenances connected with said business.

The above described property includes 1 Thirty H. P., Russell & Co., Engine; 1 Thirty-five H. P., upright Boiler; 1 One Hundred H. P., Eby City Boiler; 1 Fifty H. P. Eby City Engine; 1 Nance Saw with Curtis carriage; 2 Perkins Hand Feed Shingle Machines; 1 Fifty-two Titus Veneering Machine with back rolls for crate Beery Caps Basket Staves, Hoops with forms for manufacturing; 1 Titus Concave Heading Machine; 1 Titus Automatic Knife Grinder; 1 No. 17 Hoyt Bros. Co., Planer; 1 Gummer; 1 J. A. Fay & Egan Rip Saw Machine; 1 J. A. Fay & & Egan 8 foot Automatic Saw mill; 2 Jones & Co., Bottom Machines; 1 Log Haul; 1 4x6 Worthington Steam Pump; 1 Thirty-six foot Dry Kiln; 1 Box Trimmer line and counter shafting Pullers belting and conveyers; 4 Three Room Houses; 2 Five Room Houses; 1 Six Room House; 1 Two-Story Tin Roof Warehouse, 40x60; 1 40x60 Factory Room, tin roofed, and Mill building.

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